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INTRODUCTION

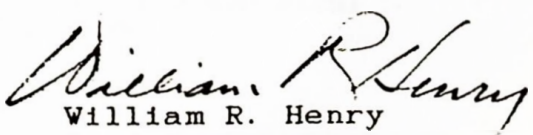
On behalf of the Central Georgia Genealogical Society and it's Publication Committee, I wish to express our graditude and appreciation to our member, Mr. Robert K. Nobles, of Fitzgerald, Georgia for his contribution of marriage, death, and other genealogical abstractions from the Hawkinsville Dispatch. Mr. Nobles' contribution consisted of over 1300 hand written pages of abstractions, from the years 1870 through 1888. The five notebooks containing these pages became very worn and tattered by the time they were computer entered and edited.

We understand, from Mr. Nobles, that the Hawkinsville Dispatch begin operation in 1866 and that only a few issues of the first four years have survived. This being the reason he started with 1870. Mr. Nobles also advises that the owners of this newspaper have not permitted it to be microfilmed, therefore we are indeed pleased that we are permitted to publish the items of genealogical value.

This newspaper had correspondants, in many surrounding counties, who submitted items. They also made quotes from many other small town newspapers such as the Dooly Vindicator, Dublin Gazette, Dublin Post, Irwinton Southerner & Appeal, Eastman Times, Houston Home Journal, Fort Valley Mirror, Berrien County News, Montezuma Record, and Cochran Messenger to name a few. They also printed letters from former residents then living in Florida, Arkansas, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas, etc., and often quoted marriage and deaths from out of state newspapers where these former residents then lived and died.

We wish to thank Mrs. Barbara Pirkle, Computer Instructor at the Warner Robins Vocational School, for preparing the first 50 pages of this book on her computer. Thanks also to Mr. Jim Turnipseed, who assisted by preparing some 88 pages on his computer. By using the same word processor program, the undersigned was able to complete, consolidate, edit and index the book.

Last but not least, we wish to thank the trustees of the R. J. TAYLOR, Jr., Foundation, who awarded our society a grant to assist in the various non-labor costs of compiling this publication and the printers cost. The Foundation also absorbed the expense for printing some thirty-three additional copies which they will distribute to various libraries within the United States.



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23 Oct.1990

FOREWORD

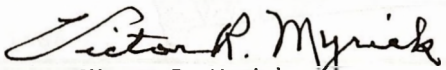
The Central Georgia Genealogical Society is deeply grateful to Bob Nobles for making the material in this book available for us to publish. This appreciation for his work will steadily increase as it comes into the hands of researchers who can find the information contained here in no other printed source.

He spent uncounted hours in the office of the Clerk of Superior Court in the Pulaski County courthouse in Hawkinsville copying it from newspapers that are faded with age and in fragile condition for the same reason. Anyone who has done research in old newspapers will fully understand the difficulty that he experienced. You will notice that there are gaps in the dates of the material. This is due to the fact that some issues of the paper are not on file.

This did not start out to be a book. Bob describes this as a labor of love aimed at preserving history as found in these newspapers. He started research in the newspapers for information on his family who were among the early settlers of the county. The wealth of information that he found gave him the incentive to attempt to make the information on all the families mentioned in the papers available to researchers. He has included items from all counties in the area and has given everything of genealogical or historical significance in each item.

Robert Kelly Nobles, known as Bob, was born in Cordele and has spent his life in this area except for twenty one years which he spent in the United States Air Force. He is a graduate of Wilcox County High School, Middle Georgia College and Georgia Southwestern College. He is a member of the faculty of Pulaski County High School where he has taught history for the last fourteen years.

This addition to our list of publications is one of great value. It will stand as a tribute to the dedication of Bob Nobles as a historian and a genealogist as long as a copy of it remains on a library shelf.



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Historical Report, 1901.- Phillips.

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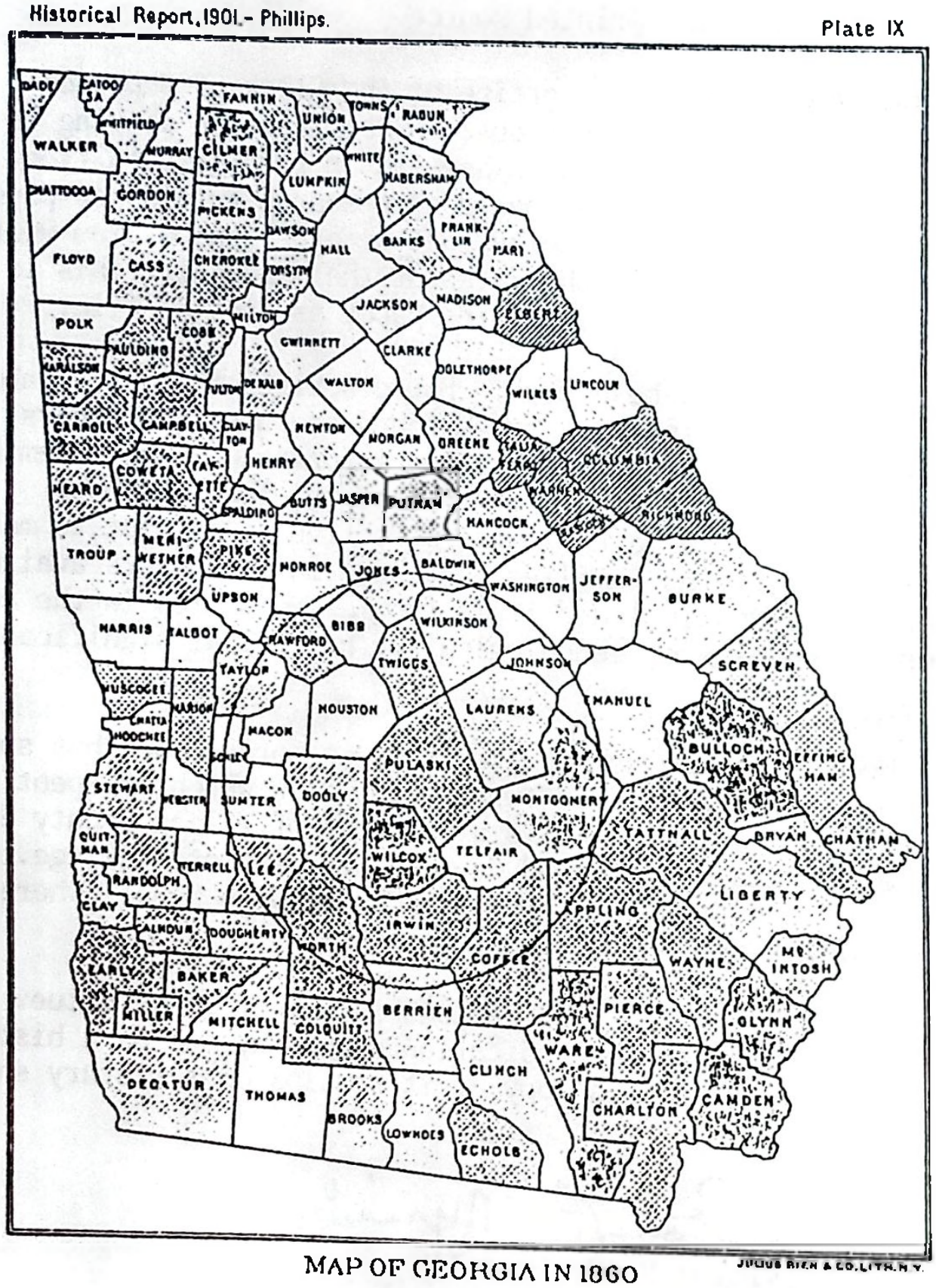

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THE HAWKINSVILLE DISPATCH, HAWKINSVILLE, GEORGIA

Vol. 4, #1, Thursday, 6 Jan.1870: (From Extra of 30th ult.)

Mr. Dan Lee, doing business in Cochran, was killed last Saturday night. He was a good Mason and was buried in our cemetery with Masonic honors.

Mr. John Evans was drowned in the river last Thursday night.

"Sut Lovengood" died at the Atkins House, Knoxville, Tennessee on the 13th of last month. His real name was George W. Harris.

Mr. David Dykes died at his residence, near Coley Station, last Sunday night.

Vol. 4, #3, Thursday, 20 Jan.1870:

Mr. J. C. DeLamar of Dresden, Texas, was killed accidently. In a private letter to J. J. Sparrow, Ordinary, Mr. S. D. Andrews reports that his father-in-law was accidentally killed on the above date at about 2 O'Clock. He will be buried tomorrow at 3 O'Clock.

Mr. Arthur Taylor, employed at the mill of Mr. __. A. McGriff, near Cochran, was accidentally killed there one day last week.

Bullock has issued a proclamation offering a $5,000 reward for the arrest of S. J. Coalson, who killed W. F. Mason, in this County last September.

Vol. 4, #8, Thursday, 24 Feb.1870:

Mr. Julian Botts married Miss Harriet Bishop on Thursday. Rev. Thomas S. Hastings conducted the ceremony.

Rev. Thomas D. Bell married Miss Harriet Bare on the 1st instant.

Mr. William Neil married Miss Jane Tier on Wednesday.

Henry W. Wright married Miss Orila Buck on Monday. Rev. Seals conducted the ceremony.

Mr. John Cobb married Miss Kate Webb last week.

Dr. Thomas Lamb married Miss Matilda Lyon on the 4th ult.

Thomas Steed, Esq. married Miss Sarah E. Curry on the 9th instant.

Mr. Joseph Turn married Miss Mary Turn on the 14th.

Mr. William Moore married Miss Mira Moor on the 1st.

Mr. Williams married Miss Lizzie Williams on the 29th ult. Both are from Williamstown.

John M. Boothe, age 3 yrs., 11 mos., and 10 days, died 24 Jan.1870 in Pulaski County. He was the son of J. E. and P. A. Boothe.

James E. P. Boothe, age 2 yrs., 4 mos., 16 days, died 26 Jan.1870 in Pulaski County of meningitis. He was the son of J. E. and Julia Boothe.

Arthur E. Cochran, age 13 years, died 26 Jan.1870 in Pulaski County of meningitis. He was the son of J. R. Cochran, deceased, and Julia Boothe.

Vol. 4, #9, Thursday, 3 Mar.1870:

Tribute of Respect: Mt. Hope Lodge, No. 9, F. & A.M., 14 Jan.1870. Davis S. Dykes, who died suddenly of congestion of the brain, in the 2d inst., near Coley's Station, in the 37th year of his age.

Tribute of Respect: Mt. Hope Lodge, No. 9, F. & A.M., 14 Jan.1870. Daniel W. Lee, who was foully murdered at Cochran on the night of 25 Dec.1869.

Vol. 4, #19, Thursday, 12 May 1870:

A letter from Tyler, Texas, states that Mr. W. R. Arnold, who left here with Capt. Duffie's crowd last year, died in that place of consumption, on the 23rd of last February.

Rev. E. S. Bullington, age 41 years, died at his residence in Telfair County on the 16 ult.

Vol. 4, #20, Thursday, 19 May 1870:

Tribute of Respect: Mt. Hope Lodge, No. 9, F. & A.M., Hawkinsville, Georgia, 13 May 1870. Daniel Rawls -- Brother Rawls came to Hawkinsville from Laurens county, about the year of 1840. He served as Worshipful Master during the year of 1859.

Vol. 4, #23, Thursday, 9 Jun.1870:

Col. A. H. Renan, a prominent lawyer of Milledgeville, died in that place on the 2d inst.

Mr. _____ Taylor, died at the Pulaski Factory, on Tuesday afternoon. He was 70 years of age, and came here from Fort Gaines. He was too feeble to work himself, but has four or five children employed in the factory.

Vol. 4, #26. Thursday, June 30, 1870:

Mr. C. C. Clark died suddenly of heart disease at his residence in this place, on the night of the 28th.

Mr. John T. Williamson died at the residence of Mr. James Fleming, in this place, on the night of the 29th, of Typhoid Fever.

Vol. 4, #28, Thursday, 21 Jul.1870:

Judge A. H. Longstreet, age 80, died at Oxford, Mississippi on the 16th.

Tribute of Respect: Coffee Lodge, No. 193, F. & A.M., 2 Jul.1870. George D. Wilcox, age 33 yrs., 2 mos., died at his residence at Lumber City on 5 Jun.1870.

Tribute of Respect: Mt. Hope Lodge, No. 9, F. & A.M., 8 Jul.1870. Columbus C. Clarke died on June 27th last.

Vol. 4, #30, Thursday, 4 Aug.1870:

Mr. Jas. Phillips, age 83, died at his residence in this county on the 10th ult. He had been a resident of the county for the last sixty years, was universally respected, and was the oldest inhabitant, as well as the oldest man in the county.

Mr. W. H. Lane, a clever farmer of this county, died at Marietta on the 31st ult. His remains reached here last Monday evening., and were consigned to the grave with Masonic honors on the following day.

Vol. 4, #34, Thursday, 1 Sept.1870:

James Phillips, age 83 years, died at his residence in Pulaski County on 20 Jul.1870. He was a native of Edgecomb County, North Carolina.

Vol. 4, #35, Thursday, 8 Sept.1870:

Mr. Wm. Bush, who was shot in affray near Abbeville some weeks ago has died from the effects of the wound. We understand the homicide was committed in self-defence.

Vol. 4, #39, Thursday, 5 Oct.1870:

Mr. M. T. Sykes married Miss S. J. Watson on the 2d inst. at the residence of the bride's mother. Justice A.A. Lowe performed the ceremony. Both are from Hawkinsville.

Vol. 4, #40, Thursday, 13 Oct.1870:

Col. W. L. Grice, formerly of Hawkinsville, married Miss M. J. Warren, daughter of Gen. Eli Warren on the 6th inst. at the residence of the bride's father. Rev. B. F. Tharpe performed the ceremony. Both are from Perry, Georgia.

Mr. W. G. Fleming died at his residence near this place on the evening of the 11th of a congestive chill.

Vol. 4, #41, Thursday, 20 Oct.1870:

Gen Robert Edward Lee was born on the 19th of January 1807, and was therefore

63 years, 8 months and 23 days old. He married on the 30th of June, 1831 ... only Gen. Custis Lee, Miss Agnes and Miss Mildred have been at home during their father's illness. The other members of the family were telegraphed for.

We regret to announce the bereavement in the family of our esteemed fellow-citizen, Major John H. Pate, caused by the sudden death of his son, Johnnie, which took place last Monday night. Johnnie was attacked with croup, and died in about two hours.

Vol. 4, #43, Thursday, 3 Nov.1870:

The Lee Family: The death of Gen. Robert E. Lee naturally raises the inquiry as to the relationship that existed between him and the Lees of the Revolution, about which there has been much confusion. Gen. Robert E. Lee was the son of General Henry Lee ("Light Horse Harry") by his second marriage. He had two brothers, Sydney Smith Lee, who commanded the steamship Mississippi, the flag-ship of Commodore Perry, in the expedition to Japan, and who died eighteen months ago; and Charles Carter Lee, who survives him, and is a farmer in Powhattan county, Virginia. He had also a sister, a women of superior endowments, who married Mr. Edward V. Childe, of Boston, and died several years ago in Paris, where she had long dwelt. Henry Lee, a son of "Light Horse Harry's" first marriage, was a man of brilliant talents, but irregular life, who wrote a lampoon on Mr. Jefferson, well known to collectors of American biography and annals. Gen. Robert E. Lee had three sons in the Confederate army, W. H. Fitzhugh Lee, G. W. Custis Lee (both Colonels), and Roberts, who was a private in the ranks. Fitz Lee, the cavalry leader, was the son of Sidney Smith Lee. "Light Horse Harry's" father was the first cousin of Richard Henry, Frances Lightfoot, and Arthur Lee, the three brothers who rose to such distinction in the war of the Revolution. Richard Henry and Francis Lightfoot Lee were signers of the Declaration of Independence, and Arthur Lee was appointed Commissioner to France with Silas Deane and Franklin, by the Continental Congress. Arthur Lee was educated at Eton, and remained several years in England in early life. General Charles Lee, of the Revolutionary army, whose conduct at Monmouth roused the ire of Washington to such a degree as to draw from him an oath, was in no way related to the Lees of Virginia. He was an Englishman, and came to America with the troops that served in the disastrous campaign of Braddock. Gen. Lee, who has just died, married a grand-daughter of George Washington Parke Curtis, the son of Mrs. Washington and the adopted son of Washington, and through her inherited the estate of Arlington, now a national cemetery.

Vol. 4, #45, Thursday, 17 Nov.1870:

Tribute of Respect: Mt. Hope Lodge, #9, F. & A.M., 9 Sept.1870. Wright H. Lane died at Marietta, Georgia on the 31st of July, 1870. He had been in bad health for some time at his residence in this County.

Mt. Hope Lodge, #9, F. & A.M., 11 Nov.1870. On the 12th of October last, our brother Wm. G. Fleming, was called from labor here to refreshment in the Great Lodge above.

Vol. 4, #46, Thursday, 24 Nov.1870:

Mr. Wm. H. Spurlin married Miss E. F. Dervill on the 20th inst. at the residence of the bride's father. Rev. L. Joiner conducted the ceremony. All are from Pulaski.

Our community sustained a severe loss, on the morning of the 17 inst. in the death of Mr. M.T. Grace, one of our most prominent citizens.

Vol. 4, #48, Thursday, 8 Dec.1870:

Henry Smith, a white man, was thrown from his horse upon a stump while riding a race at Cochran last week. He died the same day from the effects of the accident.

Mrs. J. F. Mercer died at her residence near Hawkinsville on 2d inst.

Dr. N. P. Jelks married Miss Kathleen Lamkin at the residence of the bride's father at Midway, Pulaski County, on the evening of the 6th instant. Rev. G.R. McCall conducted the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski County.

Vol. 4, #49, Thursday, 15 Dec.1870:

Mrs. Mary Custis Lee has written the following letter to Mr. W.M. Timberlake, of Augusta. We quote from the Constitutionalist.

Lexington, Nov. 22, 1870

It is with pleasure, my dear sir, I write and give you the desired information regarding the name of my husband, which is Robert Edward, not Edmund. He was named for two of his uncles, Mr. Robert and Mr. Edward Carter, of Shirley, the old family seat of his mother's family. Many thanks for your kind sympathy. It is a great solace in my mind to know that a nation mourns with me.

Yours, respectfully,
Mary Custis Lee

Vol. 5, #5, Thursday, 2 Feb.1871:

Mr. Charles Everett, an old and beloved citizen of Dooly county, died of apoplexy in Vienna Saturday evening. He was buried last Monday with Masonic honors. Mr. Everett had ceased playing a game of draughs only about fifteen minutes previous to his death. He was about sixty-one years of age.

Regular Communication Mount, Hawkinsville, Georgia, 8 Dec.1870. Hope Lodge No. 9, F.& A.M. Brother M. T. Grace died on November 17th.

Tribute of Respect: Mount Hope Lodge, No. 9, F. & A.M., Hawkinsville, Georgia, 7 Jan.1871. R. F. Delamar, age 54, died on the night of 25 Dec.1870.

Vol. 5, #7, Thursday, 16 Feb.1871:

Mr. John G. Brown married Miss Cora Rutherford on the afternoon of the 9th instant, at the residence of Col. John Rutherford in Houston County. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G.R. McCall.

Vol. 5, #8, Thursday, 23 Feb.1871:

Mr. Irvin Brown died last week on his farm in Dooly County.

Vol. 5, #9, Thursday, 2 Mar.1871:

Mr. Hiram Cobb of Dooly County committed suicide. Mr. Cobb was a young man of perhaps twenty-eight years of age. He was unmarried and the only living son of his aged parents.

Vol. 5, #10, Thursday, 9 Mar.1871:

Oliver Blount, about fourteen years of age, was killed accidentally last Sunday by his playmate, Young Jones, while playing a game of ball. He was the son of Mrs. Ike Blount.

Mr. George W. Brown and Miss Gracie Pipkin were married by Rev. E.A. Burch at the residence of the bride's father on the 28th February. Both are from Pulaski County.

Vol. 5, #12, Thursday, 23 Mar.1871:

Mr. Henry G. Wood married Miss Tennie Hudspeth on the 19th inst. at the Methodist Church. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. Chas. A. Fulwood. Mr. Wood is formerly from Virginia and Miss Tennie Hudspeth is from this place.

Vol. 5, #15, Thursday, 13 Apr.1871:

Mr. Willis S. Brazeal, an old and prominent planter of Laurens County and the father-in-law of our popular townsman, Colonel O. G. Sparks, died yesterday morning about 9 O'Clock at his residence near Laurens Hill, Laurens County. Mr. J. J. Belks married Miss Orleana Oliver on Sabbath morning last, 9th inst. at the residence of the bride's father, Wm. M. Oliver, Esq. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. G.R. McCall.

Vol. 5, #17, Thursday 27 Apr.1871:

Mr. Sam Cox of Hawkinsville committed suicide in Forsyth, Georgia on 25 Apr.1871. He was a painter by profession, and was between twenty-five and thirty years of age. He was a native of North Carolina, and the only relative he has left in Georgia is a sister, Mrs. Taylor, living near the line of Dooly.

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Vol. 5, #20, Thursday, 18 May 1871:

Mr. F. H. Bozeman and Miss Celia Lester Lucas were married on the 11th instant. Rev. Chas. A. Fulwood conducted the ceremony at the Methodist Church in Hawkinsville. Both are from Hawkinsville.

Vol. 5, #21, Thursday, 25 May 1871:

Mr. R. T. Bembry married Miss Sallie M. Carruthers on Wednesday evening, 17th instant, at the residence of the bride's father. Rev. D.N. Fann conducted the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski.

Vol. 5, #24, Thursday, 15 Jun.1871:

Mr. John Killen, one of the oldest inhabitants of Houston, died at his residence near Perry, on the morning of the 6th inst. Mr. Killen was born near Fayetteville, South Carolina on 29 Feb.1788 and was 84 years old. In early manhood he emigrated to Darlington, South Carolina, walking the whole distance of about 100 miles. Here he learned the carpenters trade, which he followed a number of years. He volunteered in the War of 1812 and served till honorably discharged. In 1822, he was married to Miss Louisa Parrott, by whom he had six children -- four still living. In 1831 he moved to Houston county, where he has ever since resided...In 1833 his wife died, and 1835 he married Miss Margaret Shine...By his last wife Mr. Killen had eleven children, six of them still living.

Vol. 5, #25, Thursday, 22 Jun.1871:

The community and distant friends and relatives will regret to learn of the sudden death of little Minnie Pate, age six years. Her death occurred about noon today, (Wednesday), at her father's residence.

Vol. 5, #26, Thursday, 29 Jun.1871:

Mrs. Jane Bolton, age 65 yrs., 8 mos., 13 days, died at her residence in Houston county on the 8th last. She was the wife of S. D. Bolton and is survived by five children, several grand-children and three greatgrandchildren. She was a member of the Baptist church.

Joseph A. Ansley, Esq. of Americus married Miss Aurelia Tharp of Perry on the evening of the 20th instant at the residence of the bride's father. Rev. G.F. Cooper performed the ceremony.

Vol. 5, #30, Thursday, 27 Jul.1871:

Mr. T. V. Sessions died about 7 O'Clock on Friday evening last. He was buried on the following evening in Orange Hill Cemetery. The funeral ceremonies were performed at the grave by Rev. C.A. Fulwood. Mr. Sessions was a Northern man by birth, but had been a resident of Hawkinsville for 35 years.

Vol. 5, #36, Thursday, 7 Sept.1871:

Mr. Stephen M. Jones, a citizen of this County for upward of five years, died at his home one mile west of town about one O'Clock this (Wednesday) morning, after several days illness of typhoid fever. Mr. Jones was born 5 Sept.1821 and died on his 50th birthday.

Mr. Thos. C. Holder married Miss Fannie Wooten on Tuesday evening the 5th instant at the residence of the bride's mother. Rev. C.A. Fulwood conducted the ceremony. Both are from Hawkinsville.

Vol. 5, #40, Thursday, 5 Oct.1871:

Mr. William M. Oliver died at his residence late Thursday evening last after a illness of ten days. He was a member of the Baptist Church. Mr. Oliver was born in Twiggs County in 1824 and was 47 years of age. For several years he had been a citizen of Hawkinsville. The Masonic fraternity, followed by the largest concourse of citizens that has ever been in our midst paid homage to a departed citizen, escorted the remains to the Baptist Church, where the funeral was preached by Rev. G.R. McCall; then the remains were conveyed to Oak Hill Cemetery, where the last sad tribute to the memory of William M. Oliver was bestowed by his Masonic brethren, the Rev. Chas. A. Fulwood and Col. O.C. Horne officiating.

Mr. Thos. Henley married Miss Vallie W. Meriwether in Eatonton, Georgia on 26 Sept. at the residence of Robert Young. Rev. Robert C. Smith conducted the ceremony. Mr. Henley is from Hawkinsville and Miss Meriwether is from Eatonton.

Mr. Jno. W. Evans married Miss Ella Bohannon on Wednesday evening, 27 Sept., at the residence of James Bohannon. Rev. Geo. R. McCall performed the ceremony. Mr. Evans is from Hawkinsville and Miss Bohannon is from Dodge County.

Vol. 5, #41, Thursday, 12 Oct.1871:

Mr. Hilliard H. Horne, a young man about 19 years of age and son of Rev. J.R. Horne, died Sunday last about 12 O'Clock. He was taken sick at Spaulding Institute, Macon County, one week prior to his death and, having been brought home on Saturday last, was apparently improving when a relapse occurred and resulted in death. He was said to be a young man of fair promises. Rev. Mr. Horne was absent at the time, being in attendance at the Baptist Association in Worth county.

Vol. 5, #44, Thursday, 2 Nov.1871:

Rev. Wm. W. Woodward of Dooly died suddenly on Monday last. Rev. Mr. Woodward was about 25 years of age and was a brother of Hon. John H. Woodward of Dooly, member elect to the next House of Representatives.

Vol. 5, #45, Thursday, 9 Nov.1871:

Mrs. Jane E. Jordan, age 64, died in Perry on 25 Oct. She had lived in Perry nearly 30 years.

Dr. J. C. Harvey, about 70 years old, died at the residence of Mr. Rutherford, his nephew, near Hayneville, on the morning of November first.

Mr. John Dyson married Miss Sussie V. Cooper, daughter of Mr. J.T. Cooper, on the morning of the 21st ult. at her father's residence in Perry. Rev. B.F. Tharpe conducted the ceremony. Mr. Dyson is from Washington, Wilkes County, Georgia.

Vol. 5, #46, Thursday, 16 Nov.1871:

Mr. R. F. Napier and Miss Mattie C. Wimberly were married in Houston County on the 9th inst. at the residence of E. H. Wimberly. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. G.R. McCall.

Vol. 5, #47, Thursday, 23 Nov.1871:

Mrs. Sarah Bembry, wife of Mr. Miles Bembry of this county, died about 9 O'Clock Saturday night last after a long illness. She was buried on Sunday evening at the family burying ground.

Vol. 5, #49, Thursday, 7 Dec.1871:

Mr. D. M. Slocumb and Miss Sallie E. Jones were married at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. James L. Jones, on the evening of the 23d inst. Mr. L. L. Watson and Miss Mollie A. Jones were married at the same time and place. The ceremony was performed by Rev. S.S. Sweet. Both couples are from Houston County.

Mrs. Marry S. Culler, wife of Dr. P. B. D. H. Culler, died at the residence of her son-in-law, Major J.B. Cobb, in Macon last Monday morning. She was a daughter of the late Hon. Howell Cobb, of Houston county, and was forty-eight years of age. She was a member of the Methodist Church. Her remains were brought to Perry for interment Tuesday evening.

Mr. John Napier died at his residence, about eight miles from Perry, on Tuesday evening. He was about forty-five years old and was well known in Houston County.

Vol. 5, #51, Thursday, 21 Dec.1871:

Mr. John H. Houser married Miss Fannie Thigpen on the 7th, inst. at the residence of the bride's father in Clinton, Ga. Mr Houser is from Houston County and Miss Thigpen is from Clinton. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. A.M. Thigpen.

Mr. Jeremiah Burgstiner of Fort Valley married Miss Ella Corbitt of Perry on the morning of the 10th inst. The marriage was held at the residence of Jas. R. Rice in Perry. Rev. S.H.J. Sistruck conducted the ceremoney.

Mr. W. R. Davis married Miss Fannie B. Lane on the evening of the 13th inst. at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Sanders Lane. Rev. Jno. B. McGehee performed the ceremony. Both are from Houston County.

Mr. Lewis Lee of Wilkinson County married Miss Eugenie A. Smith of Pulaski County on the evening of the 13th inst. at the residence of Robert C. Smith. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. R.O. Holton.

Capt. John A. Hendley died on Sunday night last, about 10 O'Clock, at his plantation in the lower portion of the county. At the time of death, Capt. Hendley was in the meridian of life, being a little upward of thirty-seven years in age. In the late war, Capt. Hendley commanded a company in the 10th Ga. Cavalry. Returning home after the war ceased, he was elected Sheriff of Pulaski County, which office he held until 1868, when he was elected Deputy Sheriff. This office he filled until the election in December last, when he was elected a Representative of the county in the present Legislature. Capt. Hendley was a member of the Masonic Lodge of Millwood, and his brethren thereof met at Hawkinsville Lodge on Tuesday morning for the purpose of paying last tribute to their departed brother...The ceremonies at the grave were beautiful and illustrative of the love and attachment existing among the "mystic brotherhood." Col. O.C. Horne, of Hawkinsville Lodge, officiated.

Vol. 6, #1, Thursday, 4 Jan.1872:

Mr. Robert Holmes died on Tuesday night about 9 O'Clock at his residence near Henderson. Mr. Holmes was born and raised in Houston and was about thirty-eight years old when he died. He leaves a wife and one child. He was interred with Masonic honors at the family burying-ground.

Mr. Needam W. Jelks married Mollie E. Bozeman on the evening of 27 December, at the residence of the bride's father. Rev. Chas. A. Fullwood conducted the ceremony. Both are from Hawkinsville.

Mr. Simon Randolph married Miss Patient Andes at 11 O'Clock in the morning on 1 Jan.1872 at the rooms of Messrs. W. W. Ricks, J. Saulsbury, and J. D. Stetson. Rev. G. R. McCall performed the ceremony.

Vol. 6, #3, Thursday, 18 Jan.1872:

Mr. Z. T. Brown married Miss Sarah A. Barber on the evening of 19 Dec.1871. Both are from Pulaski.

Vol. 6, #4, Thursday, 25 Jan.1872:

Mr. M. A. Edwards of Houston County married Miss L. Gussie Ragin of Perry on the evening of the 17th inst. at the residence of the bride's mother. Rev. J.

Rufus Felder conducted the ceremony.

Mr. Josiah Roberts, 76 yrs. old, married Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor, 54 yrs. old, on the morning of 21 Jan. at the bride's residence. M. Barber, Esq. performed the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski County.

Capt. Norman McDuffie was accidently killed on Thursday last while on his way to Texas. The remains of the deceased were brought down on Thursday night's train and buried at the Cemetery in this place on Saturday last. His Masonic brethren of Mount Hope Lodge paid the usual honors to a departed member of their fraternity.

Tribute of Respect: Millwood Lodge F. & A. M., 13 Jan.1872. Brother John A. Hendley, age 37 years, was born in Pulaski County, 14 Aug.1834, and died on 19 Dec.1871.

Vol. 6, #7, Thursday, 15 Feb.1872:

Mr. Frank Coleman died at his residence in Henderson, Houston County, on Monday night week, of consumption. He was about thirty years of age, and leaves a wife and three children.

Tribute of Respect: Mount Hope Lodge, No. 9, F. & A. M., Hawkinsville, Ga., 9 Feb.1872. On the morning of 18 Jan.1872, Norman McDuffie, after a short visit to his old home, said goodbye to his many friends and left for his home in Texas. A few hours after his departure the telegraphic wires conveyed to his friends and relatives here the sad news of his sudden accidental death at Bullard's Station on the Macon and Brunswick Railroad. On 20 Jan. Brother McDuffie was buried in Orange Hill Cemetery. Brother McDuffie was born in Montgomery County in this State, on 15 Jan.1809, and was 63 yrs., 3 days old at the time of his death.

Vol. 6, #8, Thursday, 22 Feb.1872:

Dr. David J. Bothwell, age 60, died suddenly last week in Augusta, Georgia. Dr. Bothwell was the senior partner of the firm of D. J. & J. T. Bothwell of Augusta. He was a native of Jefferson County and lived in Dooly County for many years before moving to Augusta. At one time he represented Dooly County in the Legislature.

Mr. Thomas M. Hardy, age about 30, died in this place on Monday morning last of pneumonia and congestion of the lungs. He was buried in Orange Hill Cemetery the following evening. Mr Hardy was a photographer in Hawkinsville and vicinity for may years. His mother and several brothers live in Arkansas.

Vol. 6, #9, Thursday, 29 Feb.1872:

Mr. Jno. L. Anderson married Miss Adah Boone on the evening of the 22d inst. at the residence of Dr. Peurifoy in Perry, Houston County. Rev. B. F. Tharpe conducted the ceremony. Mr. Anderson is from Pulaski County and Miss Boone

is from Houston County.

Vol. 6, #10, Thursday, 7 Mar.1872:

Mr. Henry J. Anderson married Miss Amanda L. Kendrick on the evening of the 5th inst. at the residence of John Henry, Esq. Rev. G. R. McCall performed the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski.

Vol. 6, #11, Thursday, 14 Mar.1872:

Mrs. Partin, mother of Marshal John K. Partin, died here on Thursday evening last after a protracted illness. Her remains were interred in Orange Grove Cemetery Wednesday afternoon.

Sarah Redding, wife of Mr. Roland Redding, died near Drayton, last Tuesday week ... She was 63 years old.

Vol. 6, #12, Thursday, 21 Mar.1872:

Mrs. Amelia A. Partin, age 56 yrs., died here on 12 Mar.1872. She is survived by her husband and four children.

Vol. 6, #15, Thursday, 11 Apr.1872:

Mr. George W. Boatright married Miss Sue N. Tippett last Sunday evening at the residence of the bride's father, Abner L. Tippett, Esq. Rev. L. Joiner conducted the ceremony.

Rev. Jesse Horne, age about 67, died at his home in Dooly County on Friday night last after a few days' prostration from paralysis. According to his brother, Gen. O. C. Horne, he was born in Halifax, North Carolina, and emigrated to this county in the early part of his life. He had been a citizen of this section upward of forty years and was a minister in the Missionary Baptist Church for more than 20 years. He served Antioch Church in this county for 14 years. Several years ago Rev. Horne represented Dooly county in the Legislature. He was father-in-law of the late Wm. M. Oliver and of our fellow-townsman Mr. J. S. Willis. He was buried in the cemetery at Pine Hill Church, Dooly County on Monday morning.

Reuben Reynolds, Esq., age nearly 80 yrs., died last week. He lived in the lower or rather the southwestern part of the county and was Justice of the Peace in his District for a great many years.

Vol. 6, #16, Thursday, 18 Apr.1872:

Mrs. Reid, wife of Mr. Drury Reid of Wilcox county, died very suddenly last Friday morning of heart disease. Mrs. Reid was the sister of Mrs. H. N. Bozeman of Hawkinsville.

Vol. 6, #21, Wednesday Evening, 22 May 1872:

Mrs. Wilson, age about 91 yrs., died one day last week. She lived on the east side of the river in Pulaski County. She was born in 1781, just about at the conclusion of the Old Revolutionary War.

Burwell L. Jordan married Miss Callie R. Mason on the morning of the 8th instant at the residence of T. N. Mason, Esq., in Longstreet. Rev. M. N. McCall performed the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski county.

Vol. 6, #23, Wednesday Evening, 5 Jun.1872:

Mr. J. D. Stetson married Miss Eugenia Page on the evening of the 29th instant in Hawkinsville at the residence of the bride's father, Mayor John H. Pate. Mr Stetson is from Savannah.

Vol. 6, #24, Wednesday Evening, 12 Jun.1872:

Charles Mallory Jelks, age 10 mos., died on Sunday night, 2d inst.. He was the youngest child of Mr. J. O. Jelks, Jr. Little Charlie was buried in Orange Hill Cemetery on the following afternoon.

Vol. 6, #26, Thursday Morning, 27 Jun.1872:

Mr. Proctor B. Lawrence married Miss Carrie Poller at St. Luke's Church in Hawkinsville on Wednesday evening, 19 Jun. Rev. H. K. Rees conducted the ceremony. Mr. Lawrence is from Marietta, Georgia, and Miss Poller is from Hawkinsville.

Mrs. Joiner, wife of Mr. David C. Joiner, died about noon on Wednesday last at her residence after a very long and painful illness. Her remains were conveyed to the burying ground on Mr. Joiner's plantation about 12 miles from Hawkinsville. She leaves many friends and relatives, but no children to mourn her loss.

Sammie Ewing, age 1 yr., 2 mos, 15 days, died in Wilcox County on Thursday morning, 20 Jun., after a week's illness of fever.

Vol. 6, #27, Thursday, 4 Jul.1872:

Mr. James Hill died on Tuesday evening last and was buried the following morning. He has been a citizen of Hawkinsville since the year 1831 or 1832. Some say Mr. Hill was 104 years old; others say that he was not yet 100 years old. Mr. Hill has not been seen on the streets for many years. His feebleness kept him in seclusion during his latter years.

Prof. John W. Thompson, age 68 yrs., died on Thursday evening, 20 Jun., at his home near Hawkinsville. Prof. Thompson had devoted his whole lifetime to the vocation of teacher and has spent 45 years in public service. In the winter of 1869 he moved to Pulaski county and taught two years in the neighborhood

of Rev. Robt. O. Holton. He then moved near Hawkinsville and conducted a small school till the time of his death. He was buried in Orange Hill Cemetery. He is survived by his wife and several grown sons and daughters.

Mr. Murdock Pipkin, Jr. married Miss A. E. Daily on 23 Jun. Rev. Lowndes A. Darsey performed the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski County.

Mr. C. M. Bozeman, Jr. married Miss Sallie L. Dillard on the evening of 22 May 1872 at the residence of James L. Lampkin, Esq. Rev. R. M. Lockwood conducted the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski County.

Vol. 6, #29, Thursday Morning, 18 Jul.1872:

Mrs. Barlow, wife of Elisha Barlow, Esq., died near Cochran on Monday night, 8th inst. Mrs. Barlow enjoyed her usual health during the day but was subject to spells of asthma, and on the night of her death, after having retired, awakened her husband, and stated that she felt very unwell. She arose and went to the fire-place, and after taking a small quantity of camphor, followed with water, she sank down in her chair, and expired almost instantly.

Vol. 6, #30, Thursday Morning, 25 Jul.1872:

John S. Pate married Miss Jimmie Clements on 27 Jun. Miss Clements is the daughter of J. J. Clements, Esq. of Dooly County.

Mrs. Mary A. Fletcher, wife of Joseph Fletcher, died on Friday, 12 Jul.1872, at the age of 75. She was from Irwinville, Georgia, Irwin County. William and Horton Hendley, formerly old citizens of Pulaski County, were brothers of Mrs. Fletcher.

Mr. Thomas N. Chancey, of Houston, married Miss Louisa N. Wallace, of Pulaski, on Sunday evening, 21st inst., at the residence of the bride's mother. D. W. Taylor, Esq. performed the ceremony.

Vol. 6, #31, Thursday Morning, 1 Aug.1872:

Mrs. Fader Smith, aged 80 yrs. died on Sunday last, 28th, at 3 O'Clock p.m. She was an old resident of Wilcox.

Vol. 6, #32, Thursday Morning, 8 Aug.1872:

John Rawls, age 2 yrs., died on Wednesday night last. He was the eldest child of Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Stapler. The burial took place in Orange Grove Cemetery on Thursday evening, 1 Aug.

Madison Marshall died at his home in Houston County on Thursday morning last. He was a prominent citizen and one of the largest and most successful planters in Houston County. He was a native of North Carolina and emigrated to Georgia many years ago. Mr. Marshall was well known to the people of Pulaski and this section generally. (See mistake - page 3., August 15, 1872 -

Native of Virginia.)

Mr. Joshua Bell, for the past few years a citizen of Hawkinsville, died here on Monday morning last, after a protracted illness. His remains were escorted to Orange Grove Cemetery on the following day and interred by his Masonic brethren. (See Tribute of Respect, Mt. Hope Lodge, August 9, 1872, age listed as fifty-two.)

Vol. 6, #34, Thursday Morning, 22 Aug.1872:

Edward Wootton, age 3 yrs, 2 mos., 18 days, died at Laurens Hill, Laurens County, on 9 Aug. of congestion. He was the second son of William C. and Ella Wootton Harvard.

Mr. Robert W. Powell married Mrs. Catherine Weeks on Wednesday, the 14th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, Judge G. Studstill. Rev. J. G. Walker conducted the ceremony. Both are from Telfair County.

Vol. 6, #35, Thursday Morning, 29 Aug.1872:

Mrs. Dykes, wife of Richmond J. Dykes, died in Hartford on Thuesday.

Vol. 6, #36, Thursday Morning, 5 Sept.1872:

Mrs. Elizabeth Wadsworth, age 110 yrs., died recently in the Third District of Dooly County near Millweed. She lived in the upper edge of Washington County until she reached womanhood and then moved to Dooly where she spent upwards of fifty years. She died leaving a number of great-great grandchildren and Judge William B. Cone, now living in the vicinity of Millwood, is her grandson. She enjoyed perfect health until the day previous to her death. Mrs. Wadsworth was a member to the Baptist church.

Vol. 6, #37, Thursday Morning, 12 Sept.1872:

Willie Augustus, age six mos. and only child of Mr. D. G. and Mrs. Elizabeth Fleming, died on Thursday morning 29th ult.

Vol. 6, #38, Thursday Morning, 19 Sept.1872:

Mr. Elisha Barlow married Miss Nancy Giddings on the morning of 15 Sept. at the residence of the bride's father. Hugh L. Barnes, Esq. conducted the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski County.

Mrs. Sarah Gilbert, age 56 yrs. and resident of Houston County, died there on Sunday night, 8th inst. She was the wife of N. H. W. Gilbert, Esq.

Lewis D. Wimberly, for years past a resident of Wilcox County, but formerly from Macon, Ga., died on his plantation near Abbeville on Tuesday night 10th __. Mr. Wimberly had been in declining health for a long while.

Mrs. Oakley, wife of Dr. J. H. Oakley of Hawkinsville, died of heart disease about 1 O'Clock on Tuesday morning last. She was buried in Orange Grove Cemetery on Wednesday morning.

Bryan Lee Anderson, age 1 yr., 2 mos, 16 days, died on Wednesday, the 4th inst., at 7 O'Clock p.m. He was the only son of Thomas J. and Zemmie F. Anderson.

Vol. 6, #41, Thursday Morning, 10 Oct.1872:

Mr. Thomas Wooten, of Pulaski, married Miss Caroline Doster, of Wilcox, on the evening of the 3rd inst., at the residence of the bride's father, Philetus Doster, Esq. Larkin Joiner conducted the ceremony.

Mrs. Nancy Taylor, age about 20 yrs., died on Friday, 10 Sept. She was the wife of Mr. Thomas Taylor of Dooly County. They had been married only a year. She was a member of the Baptist church for four years.

Mr. Columbus Sikes married Miss Mollie E. Graham on the evening of 3 Oct. at the residence of the bride's mother. J. C. Clements, J.P., performed the ceremony. Mr. Sikes is from Montgomery County and Miss Graham, eldest daughter of Mrs. Abagil Graham, is from Telfair County.

Vol. 6, #42, Thursday Morning, 17 Oct.1872:

Joseph Frey, a German, and formerly following the tailoring business in Hawkinsville, died of consumption a few days ago in Macon.

Vol. 6, #44, Thursday Morning, 31 Oct.1872:

Isaac Justice, age about 83 yrs., died at his home in this county on Friday morning last. Mr. Justice had been a citizen of Pulaski County for nearly 50 years. He was a soldier of the War of 1812 and was a pensioner of the United States Government.

Vol. 6, #45, Thursday Morning, 6 Nov.1872:

Mr. Thomas W. Oliver died at his residence here about 9 O'Clock on Tuesday night, 5th inst. Mr. Oliver became a citizen of Hawkinsville about four years ago; since that time he has been engaged in the mercantile business with Mr. David G. McCormick. Mr. Oliver formerly lived in Screven County but moved to Dooly several years ago where he engaged in planting on Gum Creek. The funeral is announced to take place at the Baptist Church Wednesday afternoon at 3 O'Clock with burial at Orange Grove Cemetery.

Vol. 6, #46, Thursday Morning, 14 Nov.1872:

Mr. Richmond J. Dykes, an old resident of our county, died here on Thursday morning last after a brief illness. He was buried in the cemetary on Friday morning last. Rev. E. A. Burch performed the graveside service. Mr. Dykes' wife died in Hartford about three months ago. He is survived by his son,

Johnny, who greets our readers with the Dispatch.

Vol. 6, #47, Thursday Morning, 21 Nov.1872:

Mr. Patrick Holt died at the plantation of his brother, Col. Pulaski Holt, in Houston County, last Monday week.

Mr. John Hogan, an old citizen of Houston county, died at the residence of Dr. Joseph Moreland in Hayneville last Friday week.

Vol. 6, #48, Thursday Morning, 28 Nov.1872:

Mr. Daniel McDuffie, one of the oldest settlers of this country, was found dead last week in the swamp on the east side of the Ocmulgee above Abbeville. He left Abbeville in the evening under the influence of liquor and the next day was found dead. The weather was very cold and it is supposed he lay down on the ground and was frozen. Mr. McDuffie was about 74 years of age.

Mrs. Pollie Dewitt, wife of Mr. Thomas A. Dewitt, of this county, died on Wednesday night, 13th inst. at an advanced age.

Mrs. Margaret Fountain, age about 60 yrs., died in Wilcox County on Thursday the 14th inst. She was a widow and is survived by many relatives.

Vol. 6, #49, Thursday Morning, 5 Dec.1872:

Mr. Thomas A. Dewitt, age about 63 yrs., died last Monday. He was farmer in this county and had been a citizen of Pulaski for nearly forty years. It was only last week that we published the death of his wife.

Vol. 6, #50, Thursday Morning, 12 Dec.1872:

Sheppard Rogers, age about 56 or 57 yrs., died last Friday evening and was buried the following day. Mr. Rogers was a lawyer by profession and a well known of Dooly County. He died of pneumonia after a brief illness. He is survived by two sons and four daughters.

Mr. James M. Griffin has resigned the office of Sheriff of Wilcox County and will shortly move to Texas.

Vol. 6, #51, Thursday Morning, 19 Dec.1872:

Mr. William J. Parker married Mrs. H. J. Hancock at Mount Horab Church on Sunday morning, 15th inst. Rev. S. B. Burnett performed the ceremony. Mr. Parker is from Bibb County and Mrs. Hancock, only daughter of Perry Neal, Esq., is from Pulaski County.

Mr. Miles Lancaster married Miss Edna Harrell on Thursday evening, 12th inst. at the residence of Levi Harrell, Esq. Rev. R. E. Mills conducted the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski.

Mr. William L. Joiner married Miss Elizabeth Taylor on Sunday morning, 15th inst. at the residence of the bride's father, J.J. Taylor, Esq. of Dooly county. Rev. Larkin Joiner performed the ceremony.

Mr. John E. Barnett married Miss Emma Attaway on the 9th inst. Rev. L. A. Darsey conducted the ceremony. Both are from Eastman, Ga.

Mr. J. Clayton married Miss Sallie C. Graham at the residence of the bride's mother in Telfair County on the evening of the 28th ult. Rev. Mr. Fentress performed the ceremony. Miss Graham is the youngest daughter of Mrs. Abigail Graham.

Last Monday a large party left Houston County for Texas. Amoung the number was Rev. W. J. Collins, a citizen of Perry.

Vol. 7, #1, Thursday Morning, 2 Jan.1873:

Mr. S. W. Sellers of Appling County married Miss E. J. Curry of Coffee County at the residence of the bride's father on the evening of the 19th ult. D.W. Ryal, Esq. performed the ceremony.

Mr. Samuel Charters married Miss Mary Howell on the 19th ult. at the residence of B.B. Howell, Esq. Rev. G.R. McCall conducted the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski.

Vol. 7, #2, Thursday Morning, 9 Jan.1873:

Mr. Duncan C. Graham married Miss Josephine McDuffie at the residence of the bride's father, E.G. McDuffie, Esq., on the evening of 19th ult. J.S. Walker performed the ceremony. Both are from Telfair County.

Vol. 7, #3, Thursday Morning, 16 Jan.1873:

Mr. Charles A. Martin of Pulaski County married Miss Gennie Holmes of Hamilton County, Florida on Wednesday evening, 8th inst. at the residence of James Buckhalter. Rev. Geo. R. McCall conducted the ceremony.

Mr. John J. Daniels married Miss Georgia Buff on Thursday evening, 9th inst. at the residence of the bride's father. Rev. Geo. R. McCall performed the ceremony.

Vol. 7, #5, Thursday Morning, 30 Jan.1873:

Mr. John W. Wade, of this county, was stricken with apoplexy early on Monday morning last, and died about 9 O'Clock. Mr. Wade was nearly sixty years of age.

Mr. Jeremiah Dominey married Miss Sarah E. Mims on the evening of the 26th inst. at the residence of Mr. Thomas Scarborough. James F. Barber, Esq. conducted the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski.

Mr. G. D. White of Griffin, was married to Miss Eoline Butts, of Gum Tree, Dooly County on the 22d.

Mrs. Sarah A. Taylor, wife of Dr. Simeon W. Taylor, died of consumption, in Lake Jessup, Florida, on the 29 Dec. 1872. Mrs. Taylor was raised in Hawkinsville.

Vol. 7, #7, Thursday Morning, 13 Feb.1873:

Mr. J. R. Coombs, age 50, died at his home near Lauren Hill on Wednesday 5th inst.

Mr David C. Joiner of Hawkinsville married Miss Mary A. Singeltary on Wednesday evening the 4th inst. Miss Singeltary is the youngest daughter of Dr. N. P. Singeltary of Schley County.

Mr. C. C. Legget married Miss Henrietta Smith on Wednesday evening, 5th inst. at the residence of Mr. G. W. Smith. Both are from Coffee Country.

John K. Partin, "Sonny" Manning, and Remus Romulas Woods, all from Hawkinsville, left this (Wednesday) morning for Texas.

Vol. 7, #8, Thursday Morning, 20 Feb.1873:

Judge John Joseph Sparrow died last night at 11 O'Clock. His death had been expected for several days.

James Martin, a young man about eighteen or nineteen years of age, and son of Mr. George Martin, who lives in the eastern part of the county, killed himself accidently by last Saturday.

Vol. 7, #9, Thursday Morning, 27 Feb.1873:

In a portion of our issue last week we briefly announced the death of Judge J. J. Sparrow which occurred on Wednesday night after we had gone to press. Judge Sparrow was born and raised in Pulaski County. In 1862 he was elected to fill an unexpired term in the Ordinance Office which he held until the election in 1868 when he was reelected. He continued to hold the office until succeeded by Mr. P. T. McGriff, who was his competitor in the December nomination, which was one of the closest contests that ever occurred in the county. Escorted by his Masonic brethren, he was buried on Friday morning in Orange Hill Cemetery. The funeral was preached at the grave by Rev. Geo. R. McCall. NOTE: Judge Sparrow was one of the five gentlemen who donated the ground now known as Orange Hill Cemetery to Town Council. Three of the donors are now buried there--William M. Oliver in 1871, Norman McDuffie in 1872, and J. J. Sparrow in 1873. All three deaths occurred within a period of less than two years. The two donors that yet survive are Gen. O. C. Horne and Capt. William Taylor.

Jim Crow, age 27 and one of the first settlers of Abbeville, is dead! He died on Sunday the 16th inst. He was quietly buried on Monday. Would you believe it was an old horse?

Dr. Thomas J. Barkwell died in Atlanta on Thursday morning last. His remains, under the care of his colleague, of Dr. Colding, and others, were brought to Cochran on Friday last. Dr. Barkwell was a gentleman of perhaps middle age. Within a period of fourteen months, Pulaski has lost two Representatives in the Legislature by death. The first was Mr. John A. Hendley.

Vol. 7, #10, Thursday Morning, 6 Mar.1873:

Mr. Peter C. Clemens married Miss Abigail McDuffie on 20 Feb.1873 at the residence of the bride's father, Edward G. McDuffie, Esq. Rev. William A. Green conducted the ceremony. Both are from Telfair County.

Mr. James Statham of Wilcox County, age 75 yrs., died at the residence of his son, Mr. Norman Statham, on last Thursday morning.

Vol. 7, #11, Thursday Morning, 13 Mar.1873:

Mr. Billy Bozeman drowned on Saturday last. He was a life-time citizen of Pulaski County. On Saturday last he left his plantation on the east side of the river and came to town in the buggy with his brother-in-law, Mr. John W. Evans. He spent the day in town and in the evening, instead of returning home with Mr. Evans, he procured a batteau and concluded to go down the river until he reached a landing opposite his place. He failed to reach home Saturday night and his family became alarmed. Mr. John W. Bohannon, a brother-in-law, came to Hawkinsville early Sunday morning, and reported Mr. Bozeman's unaccountable absence from home. Mr. L. C. Ryan, Needham Jelks, Frank and Charley Bozeman, and other relatives and friends proceeded immediately in search of the missing man. They traced him to a point nearly out of the swamp, where there was running water when the river is higher than usual. Here the unfortunate man was found--with one foot hung in the fork of a small tree, and his head and body hanging under water, while his hat remained floating on the surface. It was a sad sight. The body was discovered about 3 O'Clock on Sunday and on Monday evening following was buried at the family cemetery of Mr. James Bohannon, father-in-law of the deceased. Bill Bozeman was the eldest son of Judge C. M. Bozeman. He was about 30 years of age and leaves a wife and three children.

Mr. Jeff Daniels, a young man living near Hayneville, Houston County, died on Sunday night last of a congestive chill.

Mr. Edward N. Everett, a well known citizen in Dooly County, died at Vienna on Friday last. Mr. Everett, age about 30, leaves a wife but no children.

Vol. 7, #13, Thursday Morning, 27 Mar.1873:

Mr. D. Lark Ridley married Miss Elizabeth Singleton on Thursday evening, 20th

inst. at the resident of Mr. Irwin Singleton The ceremony was conducted by Rev. J.F. Barber, Esq. Both are from Pulaski.

Mr. Henry Sheppard died of consumption last Monday night at the residence of his father-in-law, Mr. Robert S. Anderson, Sr. He and his family moved to Florida last December and had returned a few days ago. He leaves a wife and three children. He was buried on buried Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Warren, wife of Mr. Thomas Warren of Wilcox county, died on the 18t instant. She is survived by three children.

Mrs. Martha A. E. Dickson, wife of John J. Dickson, and daughter of T. J. and F. M. Mason, was born in Lawrens County on 5 May 1842 and died in Macon, Georgia on 5 Feb.1873. She is survived by her husband, four children, parents, brothers and sisters.

Vol. 7, #15, Thursday Morning, 10 Apr.1873:

Mr. John Gordan married Miss Nancy C. Owens on the 16th inst. at the residence of the bride's father. Both are from Wilcox County.

Vol. 7, #16, Thursday Morning, 17 Apr.1873:

Mr. Maxey Pate, age 17, died at his residence in Worth County on the evening of the 1st of April. He was the father of 18 children, 11 girls and 8 boys, 5 of whom gave up their lives in the Confederate cause.

Vol. 7, #17, Thursday Morning, 14 Apr.1873:

Mr. James Brown, age 65 yrs., died last Thursday evening. He was from Wilcox County.

Mrs. Georgia Gordon, age 17 yrs., died on 11th inst. She was the wife of William Gordon and they had been married about twelve months. (Also reported May 1, 1873)

Mrs. Mary Allen, age about 35, died on Thursday last. She was the wife Mr. Willis Allen, of Pulaski County.

Mrs. Sarah Ann Goodman, age 33, died very suddenly on Monday night, 21st inst. She is survived by her husband, Mr. James Goodman, and three children.

Vol. 7, #18, Thursday Morning, 1 May 1873:

Mrs. Georgia Gordon, wife of Mr. William Gordon, died 11 Apr.1873.

Mrs. Rebecca Taylor, wife of Rev. David Taylor, died on 9 Apr.1873.

Vol. 7, #19, Thursday Morning, 8 May 1873:

Mrs. Rebecca Coffee, age about 24 yrs., died Sunday evening last and was buried Monday afternoon in Orange Hill Cemetery. Mrs. Coffee is survived by her husband, Capt. John A. Coffee, and 4 children.

Vol. 7, #21, Thursday Morning, 22 May 1873:

Mr. A. N. Curry married Martha W. Wilcox on the 8th inst. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. W. F. Roberts at the residence of the bride's father, G. W. Wilcox, Esq.

Mr. Texas Burkett married Miss Sarah A. Davis on the 6th inst. at the residence of Mrs. Rhoda Burkett. The ceremony was conducted by W. L. Wilcox, Esq. At the same time and place Mr. W. L. Wright married Miss Missouri Burkett. All are from Coffee County.

Mr. Cornelius McDaniel married Miss Virginia Lawless on Sunday, 18th inst. at the residence of Maj. Matt. McCormick. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. A. Burch.

Vol. 7, #22, Thursday Morning, 29 May 1873:

Mr. Quarterman Douglass of Appling County married Miss Lucy Lott of Coffee County the evening of the 15 inst. at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. J. M. Lott. C. W. Dedge, Esq. performed the ceremony.

Vol. 7, #23, Thursday Morning, 5 Jun.1873:

Mr. Larkin R. Parker was accidently killed on Friday morning last. He met with a most tragic death when he left here to visit his family living at Station 16, on the Central Railroad. He had expected to return Tuesday evening. Mr. Parker was a painter who had been working in Hawkinsville for several weeks.

Vol. 7, #25, Thursday Morning, 19 Jun.1873:

Mrs. Rebecca S. Coffee was born in Pulaski County on 28 Jul.1846, and died in Hawkinsville on 4 May 1873. She was married to Captain John A. Coffee in 1864 and has three surviving children. Sister Coffee was a member of the Methodist E. Church, South.

Merritt Anderson, infant son of Capt. R.W. Anderson, died on Sunday evening, 8th inst., and was buried in Orange Grove Cemetery on the following day.

Bessie Bozeman, only child of Mr. Frank H. Bozeman, died Sunday morning last, and was buried in Orange Grove on Monday morning.

Vol. 7, #26, Thursday Morning, 26 Jun.1873:

Miss Lou Oliver, daughter of Mrs. Eliza J. and the late Thomas W. Oliver, died of typhoid fever this Wednesday morning about 10 1/2 O'Clock.

Sarah Elizabeth Bozeman, age 1 yr., 3 mos, 19 days, died on 15 Jun.1873. She was infant daughter of Francis H. and Celia L. Bozeman. (See also Vol. 7, #25, Thursday Morning, 19 Jun.1873, Page 3, Bessie.)

Vol. 7, #28, Thursday Morning, 10 Jul.1873:

Mr. Thomas B. Howell, well known citizen of Pulaski county, died on his farm a few miles above town on Sunday evening, 29th June. Mr. Howell, age 52, was a son-in-law of Maj. Mathias McCormick. Many years ago he represented Pulaski County in the Legislature. Mr. Howell was buried near his home with Masonic honors.

Leola Wilcox, age 2 yrs., 6 mos., and 10 days, died 25 Jun.1873 at the residence of her grandfather, Mr. Elijah Pickren, after an illness of 8 days. She was the only child of Mr. Woodson L. and Mrs. Libbie C. Wilcox.

Rev. Mr. Pittman of Dooly County married Miss Elizabeth Barber of Pulaski County on Tuesday evening, 24 June, at the residence of the bride's father. Rev. John Churchwell conducted the ceremony.

Mr. Thomas Taylor married Miss Sallie Massingale on Sunday morning, 6th inst., at the residence of her father. Rev. Larkin Joiner performed the ceremony. Both are from Dooly County.

Vol. 7, #29, Thursday Morning, 17 Jul.1873:

Mrs. M. L. Davis, wife of Mr. Robert Davis, of Dooly county, died at the residence of J. W. Carruthers in Hawkinsville, on Tuesday morning, 15 inst. Mrs. Davis was a niece of Mrs. J. W. Carruthers. She was buried in the old family burying ground about three miles beyond the river on this Wednesday morning.

Tribute of Respect: Mt. Hope Lodge, No. 9, F. & A. M. Bro. Thomas B. Howell was born in Pulaski county on 18 Oct.1821 and died on the 29 Jun.1873. He leaves two daughters.

Vol. 7, #30, Thursday Morning, 24 Jul.1873:

Miss Sarah M. Gilbert, second daughter of Mr. E. B. Gilbert, died on Friday morning, 11th inst.

Vol. 7, #31, Thursday Morning, 31 Jul.1873:

Mr. John W. Wilcox of Telfair County married Miss Lovey Mobley of Irwin County on Thursday, 24 inst., at the residence of John C. Wilcox. L. L. Williams, Esq.

conducted the ceremony.

Mr. William Riley married Miss Madge Coley on Sunday morning, 27 inst., at the residence of F. A. Blue. D.G. McLeod, Esq. conducted the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski County.

Tribute of Respect: Louisa Basken, who died on the 12 Jun.1873.

Vol. 7, #32, Thursday Morning, 7 Aug.1873:

Sallie Wilcox, age 6, died on Sunday morning last. Sallie was the daughter of Mr. M. D. Wilcox. She was buried on Monday morning in Orange Hill Cemetery. Rev. R. J. Corley officiated.

Sarah Elizabeth Grace, 2 yrs., 1 mo., 25 days, died in Hawkinsville on 19 Jun.1873. Sarah was the only daughter of Mrs. E. V. and the late M. T. Grace.

Vol. 7, #33, Thursday Morning, 14 Aug.1873:

Louisa Harrell, age 6, died near Temperance, Georgia, on 6 Aug.1873. She was the eldest daughter of William L. Harrell. On Friday, 8 Aug., her younger sister, little Viola, followed her.

Dr. H. J. McLeod of Wilcox married Miss Mollie V. Mitchell of Pulaski on the 3d inst. at the residence of the bride's father. Levi H. Harrell, Esq., conducted the ceremony.

Vol. 7, #35, Thursday Morning, 28 Aug.1873:

Mr. John L. Kinney of Dooly County married Miss Permelia DeLoach of Macon County on Sunday morning, 17th inst., at the residence of Mrs. E.A. Keely. The ceremony took place in Dooly country and was conducted by Rev. M. McDonald.

Col. W. H. Byron, a prominent citizen of Dooly county, died on Monday, Aug. 18th, at the age of 57.

Little Bessie McCormick, second daughter of Mr. D. G. McCormick, died in Hawkinsville, on Sunday morning, 24th inst. The burial took place at Orange Hill Cemetery on Monday morning.

Mrs. Cornelia J. Burrows died on Saturday, 16 Aug., at her father's residence in Hawkinsville after a illness of about two weeks. Mrs. Cornelia J. Burrows, age 24, was formerly Mrs. Cornelia J. Fulghum.

Tribute of Respect: Good Samaritan Lodge, No. 24, I. O. of G. T. Edward Morris Pollock, age 20 less 11 days, died at his residence near Millwood, Dooly county, on Saturday night, 17 Aug.1873. The deceased a member of the Baptist Church.

Vol. 7, #36, Thursday Morning, 4 Sept.1873:

Mr. James Chalker, an honest and upright citizen of our county, died Monday evening last on his farm in the county. The deceased has passed the meridian of life, but was useful as a father and neighbor.

Mrs. Dent, wife of Mr. Z. T. Dent, and daughter of Mr. _esley Marchman, died Tuesday afternoon last.

The wife of Mr. John Hancock died on Monday last. She was a daughter of Mrs. Trammell and had been married about one year.

Mr. Wash Simpson, age about 60, died. He was a farmer near Cochran.

Charlie Garrison, age 5 yrs., 8 mos., 1 day, died on Tuesday last at the home of his grandfather, Mr. John F. McLeod of Wilcox county.

Mr. Thomas Pennington, age 72 yrs., died last Thursday. He was a resident of Appling County. Mr. Pennington formerly lived in Wilkinson County. He had been connected with the Methodist Church for many years.

W.A. Hopson, a well known dry goods merchant of Macon, died very suddenly in New York last Sunday afternoon at 5 O'Clock. Mr. Hopson was a native of Vermont. His father was an Episcopal clergyman. He came to this State as a boy and went to Perry, Houston County.

Vol. 7, #37, Thursday Morning, 11 Sept.1873:

John M. Crump, age 39, died at his residence near Mobley's Crossing of typhoid fever on the 5th inst. He leaves a wife and four little children. He belonged to Anderson's Battery in the late war.

Vol. 7, #38, Thursday Morning, 18 Sept.1873:

Mr. Edward Eubanks, age 73 yrs., died on Monday 15th inst. He was a resident of Hawkinsville.

Jacob Butter, age 74, died on Friday, 5 Sept. He was a well known citizen of Dooly County. He was born and raised in North Carolina, was married at age 30, and moved to this State. He joined the Methodist Church at age 73 under the administration of Rev. Rufus Felder. He is survived by his wife, one daughter, and two sons.

Vol. 7, #40, Thursday Morning, 2 Oct.1873:

Lily McCrimmon, age about 5 yrs., died about ten days ago. She was the daughter of Dr. D. F. McCrimmon of Wilcox.

Mr. John C. Walker, age about 50 yrs., was killed on the railroad two miles below Eastman on Saturday night, 20 Sept. He was a citizen of Dodge County.

Mr. F. A. Neal married Miss Mollie E. Stokes on the evening of the 14th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, J. M. Stokes. Dr. T. F. Walker conducted the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski County.

Mrs. Elizabeth Haskins, age 53, died on Tuesday night, 21 Sept. of typhoid fever. She was the wife of Mr. Joel Haskins of this County.

Vol. 7, #41, Thursday Morning, 9 Oct.1873:

Miss Amanda J. Studstill, daughter of Mr. William Studstill, died of typhoid fever on the 5th inst., at the residence of her father in Dodge county.

Mr. John R. Love, age 25, died about 9:45 O'Clock Saturday night last. He served in the late war and was elected first lieutenant of his company. The funeral was preached by Rev. Moses N. McCall in the Baptist Church at 3 O'Clock P.M. on Sunday. He was buried with Masonic honors by the Masons of the Mt. Hope Lodge.

Theophilus D. Boothe, age 13 yrs., 7 mos., 5 days, died on the morning of 27 Sept. He was the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Boothe of Pulaski county.

Vol. 7, #42, Thursday Morning, 16 Oct.1873:

Mr. William W. Johnson, a farmer living on the east side of the River, in this County, died Tuesday night, October 7th, of dropsy. Mr. Johnson was about forty years of age, and during the late war was a faithful soldier in the Tenth Georgia Regiment. He was a brother of Mr. N. T. Johnson, of Houston County, and brother-in-law of Dr. John Laidler. The remains were carried to Houston County and buried in the old family cemetery.

Vol. 7, #43, Thursday Morning, 23 Oct.1873:

Mr. Hardy Powers, age 81, died at the residence of his grandson, Mr. Jas. P. Kinchen, on Saturday morning last. Mr. Powers was one of the first settlers in Pulaski County and built the first framed dwelling ever erected in the old town of Hartford. The building was torn down many years ago and moved to the Wright Lancaster place, where a portion of it now stands. Mr. Powers was well known to the people of our County. He was the father of Mrs. Mary Kinchen, wife of Mr. James J. Kinchen. He has yet living two sisters older than he was. One lives in Green County and the other in Hancock.

Mrs. Elizabeth Phillips, age 84, died on the 23rd day of September last. Her days upon earth had been many, and she seemed to enjoy them as well in her old age as when in the springtime of life. We saw her last summer at a picnic with young people, and none appeared more joyful than this lady of many years. We sent a request to her son, Mr. J. A. J. Phillips, of Hartford, for a few incidents and facts connected with her life and received the following. Mrs. Elizabeth Phillips, daughter of Col. John Nicholson, of Edgecombe County, North Carolina, was born 26 Feb.1790; married to Mathew Phillips, 27 Feb.1812; was left a widow with three small children 23 Oct.1823. She never contracted

a second marriage, but for half a century devoted her whole affection and energies to the comfort and interest of the offspring of her first love. In this work of love she received encouragement and many favors from the Masonic fraternity, of which institution her husband was an honored member. She died 23 Sept.1873.

Anna Leon Walker, age 20, died on Tuesday, 30 Sept.1873, after a very short illness. Anna Leon was the oldest daughter of Dr. Virgil H. and Mrs. Nettie Walker.

Vol. 7, #45, Thursday Morning, 6 Nov.1873:

The following is a letter written from Tyler, Smith County, Texas, on 23 Oct.1873:

Mr. Geo. P. Woods:

Dear Sir--I have just returned from a visit of ten days to the old man William Hendley's. I found him and family well, and apparently doing well. He speaks of returning to Georgia on a visit during the fall.

I had the please of meeting our old friend, Demsy Baker. He looks well. I had a long talk with him, and he told me he was getting along well. He seems well pleased with Texas, and says he would not go back to old Georgia for five miles square of the county where he lived. He showed me a bag of gold, and said: "This is Texas, and this is what makes the mare go." While at Mr. Hendley's I witnessed the marriage of his son, L. L. Hendley, to Miss Mollie Reaves. The ceremony was performed by Rev. M.M. Wadsworth, and the attendants of the happy couple were Mr. N. L. Davis, of Etna, and Miss Sallie Reaves, of Whitehouse; Mr. D. Harden, of Whitehouse, and Miss Edna Hendley, of Etna. All of them old Georgians, and now residents of Smith county, Texas.

I have also to announce two deaths--one being Mr. James Cone, the son of old Thomas Cone. He died in Cherokee county, Texas, on the 15th of October. The other is Mrs. Margaret Thompson, daughter of Mr. Jobe Smith, who is well know to the people of your county.

I received a copy of the Dispatch yesterday. Please don't stop it, for it is better than any letter I get from home. I spend some happy hours reading it. Yours Truly, J. K. Partin

Little Anna Belle, age 8 mos., 2 days, died in Cochran, Georgia, on the 28 Sept.1873. Little Allie Belle age 1 yr., 10 mos., died in Griffin, Georgia on 25 Oct.1873. Anna and Allie were only children of Dr. Y. H. and Mrs. E. V. Morgan and the grandchildren of Captain A. W. Weaver.

Vol. 7, #46, Thursday Morning, 18 Nov.1873:

Mrs. Mary A. Charters, age 26 yrs., died on 15 Oct.1873. She was the wife of Mr. Samuel Charters, and the the daughter of the late Hon. Thomas B. Howell, of Pulaski County. She had been married scarcely a year.

Mr. R. W. Baskin, a well known citizen of Houston County, died at his home near Perry, on Sunday last, of pneumonia. He was the grandfather of Mrs. Joseph

Jelks and Mrs. John Hendley, of this place.

Vol. 7, #47, Thursday Morning, 20 Nov.1873:

Capt. Samuel Henly, age 37 yrs., died at his home in Hayneville, Houston County, on Saturday last. He was taken ill on the Sunday previous but death resulted from a congestive chill. The remains were brought to Hawkinsville on Sunday and buried in the cemetery by the Mount Hope Lodge Free and Accepted Masons of which Capt. Henly was a member. His original membership was with Tellico Lodge, Monroe county, Tennessee. During the late war Captain Henly commanded a company in the sixty-third Tennessee regiment. After the war he married the daughter of Dr. Moreland, of Corinth, Ga., and located at Hayneville, where he has been engaged in merchandising and farming. He was a brother of our fellow-citizen, Captain Thomas Henly.

Mr. Crawford Andrews married Miss Elizabeth Peavy on Sunday morning. On the same morning, Mr. D. B. Ward married Miss Pink Lupo. Rev. Larkin conducted the ceremonies.

Vol. 7, #48, Thursday Morning, 27 Nov.1873:

Mr. H. W. J. Ham, late editor of the Eastman Times, was married on Sunday, 16th inst., to Miss Anna E. Cook, of Bethany, Jefferson County.

Mr. Joseph Wilcox, the young gentleman struck by lightning at Jacksonville on Sunday night before last, died on Tuesday evening. He never spoke from the time of receiving the shock. Mr. Wilcox was a son of Mr. Mitchell Wilcox, a prominent citizen of Telfair. He was a son-in-law of Mr. John Hamilton of Dodge county, and leaves a wife and four children.

Mr. J. J. Baker of Dodge County married Miss M. E. Johnson of Stewart County, Georgia, at the residence of Mr. J.N. Jones, in Dodge County, on the 19th inst. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. D. N. Fane.

Mr. William Goodman, a farmer of this county, and living about nine miles up the river, died of a congestive chill on Sunday last. He was in town on Friday, and complained then of feeling unwell, but his friends were not prepared to hear of his sudden death. The Masonic fraternity of this place buried the remains on Monday.

Mr. Jackson Scarborough married Miss C. H. Abner on Sunday, 23d ult., at the residence of Wm. Scarborough. The ceremony was performed by Rev. John Churchwell.

Vol. 7, #50, Thursday Morning, 11 Dec.1873:

Mr. Thomas Cone, Sr., age 70, died at his home in Dooly County on the 8th day of November of pneumonia. He was a member of the Baptist Church for more than of thirty years.

Mr. Jas. H. Fann married Miss Sallie Arnold at the residence of Mrs. E. P. Collins. S. M. Blount, Esq. conducted the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski County.

Vol. 7, #51, Thursday Morning, 18 Dec.1873:

Margaret Melisa Laidler died after much suffering on 2 Dec. Margaret was the daughter of Dr. John and Sallie Boggess Laidler.

Vol. 8, #2, Thursday Morning, 8 Jan.1874:

Mr. Eason Rowland married Mrs. Margaret Ewing on Wednesday, 31 Dec.1873 at the residence of the bride. Rev. W. H. Rogers conducted the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski.

Mr. John Brown married Miss Julia Dupree at the residence of the bride's mother on Thursday night, 1st instant. Rev. Larkin Joiner performed the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski.

Vol. 8, #3, Thursday Morning, 15 Jan.1874:

Philip Cook, of Americus, was born in Twiggs Col, Ga. 31 Jul.1837 and was partially educated at Oglethorpe University. (information from the Congressional Directory of the Forty-third Congress...)

Norman Barron, age about 16 yrs., died very suddenly Friday last. He was the son of Mr. Barney Barron who lives near Temperance, Telfair County.

One of Mayor Martin's little twin boys died on Monday, and was buried Tuesday. (From Bible 213: Henry Winn Bains Martin. 1-12-1874, child of John Henry Martin and Sarah Eleanor Winn)

Maj. Mathias McCormick, one of the oldest settlers of Pulaski county, died of pneumonia at his plantation seven miles above Hawkinsville on Saturday night last. Mr. McCormick was born in 1794, and was nearly 80 years old. When he settled in this country, it was thickly inhabited by Indians and at one period when there was trouble between the whites and Indians, he was made prisoner by the natives, and kept in confinement by one of the chiefs for three days, at which time he was assisted to escape by a friendly Indian. He was married in this county, over 55 year ago, to a Miss Cannon, who still survives him. During their long lives they never changed homes but once, and that was in moving across the river to their present old homestead. In the early days of the country, before steamboats were known on the Ocmulgee, Maj. McCormick was engaged in running pole boats on the river. After many years in this business he became Captain of a steamboat and continued his life on the river for a long while. He was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church for more than fifty years. He was the father of D. G. McCormick and the father-in-law of Judge John H. Woodward of Dooly besides many other descendants living in this and adjoining counties. We had often promised ourself a visit to his home for the purpose of learning facts and incidents connected with the past

history of our section, but the opportunity has now passed forever. He knew a great deal of the Indian character, and to this day one of pure blood, of the Choctaw tribe, lives at his home. He is a mute, and when a boy was given by his parents to Maj. McCormick at the time the Indians were compelled to emigrate to the Great West. Sam, as this Indian is familiarly known, had formed a great attachment for one of Maj. McCormick's sons, and for this he was often cruelly punished by his old mother squaw. Often times he would hide in the fields and wait for young McCormick to join him. He had a mortal fear of all other whites, but on one occasion when his parents had determined to whip him, he fled to Maj. McCormick's and ran in the yard. They dared not follow him, lest of being bitten by the dogs. Sam is a stout able-bodied man, and is perhaps, the only living full-blooded member of the Choctaw tribe of Indians now in this country.

Mrs. Elizabeth Young, age about 80 yrs., died near Montezuma at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Joshua Theus, on the 2d inst.

Mr. Robert M. Etheridge married Miss Eliza Hooks at the residence of the bride's father on the 4th inst. Rev. L. Joiner conducted the ceremony.

Mr. Jno. W. Vaughn married Miss Ameliann Etheridge at the residence of the bride's father on 23 Dec. Rev. L. Joiner performed the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski County.

Vol. 8, #4, Thursday Morning, 22 Jan.1874:

Mr. Simon Fleischman married Miss Freddie Mbrkus on Tuesday afternoon last at the at the residence of Mr. S. Cohen. Rev. Charles Wessolowsky of Albany performed the ceremony. Mr. Fleischman is from Hawkinsville, Ga., and Miss Freddie Mbrkus is a niece of Mr. S. Cohen, a well known dry goods merchant of Americus. The bride and groom left for their home in Hawkinsville on Wednesday at noon.

Vol. 8, #6, Thursday Morning, 5 Feb.1874:

Mr. N. D. McLeod, age 45 yrs., died at his residence here on Monday night last. He served as a soldier in the United States Army during the Mexican War.

Mrs. Tempa Lupo, wife of Mr. James Lupo, died of pneumonia on 8 Jan. in the 6th District of Dooly County. She is survived by her husband and three children.

Mr. Jeremiah Martin married Miss Mary McLeod on 25 Jan. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Elias Turner. Miss McLeod is the daughter of Allen McLeod, Esq. Both are from Dodge County.

Vol. 8, #7, Thursday Morning, 12 Feb.1874:

Ducan D. Graham, age 11 yrs., 4 mos., 26 days, died in Telfair County on 28 Jan.1874. He was the son of A. H. and S. R. Graham.

Vol. 8, #8, Thursday Morning, 19 Feb.1874:

Mr. J. W. Bateman married Miss Martha Sapp on Tuesday evening. Rev. R. E. Mills conducted the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski County.

Vol. 8, #9, Thursday Morning, 26 Feb.1874:

Mr. James Miller, a young man eighteen or twenty years of age, left Hawkinsville last week to seek his fortunes in Texas.

Vol. 8, #10, Thursday Morning, 5 Mar.1874:

Mrs. Martha Tharpe, Sr., age 73 yrs., died at her residence in Houston County on 18 Feb.

Wayne Jackson, age 3 yrs., 8 mos., died in Coffee County on 18 Feb.1874. He was the only son of Julia and Freman Britt.

Nutt, age about 14 yrs., died Saturday evening. He was crushed to death by wagon wheels about two miles from town. Nutt was the stepson of Elijah Eason.

Vol. 8, #11, Thursday Morning, 12 Mar.1874:

Nora Ann Studstill, age 2 yrs, 11 mos., died 10 Feb. She was the daughter of George T. and Sarah J. Studstill.

Mr. William Ross married Miss Elizabeth Luke on the 8th inst. at the residence of the bride's father. Rev. J. J. Hancock conducted the ceremony. Both are from Irwin County.

In a double wedding on the night of the 26th inst., Mr. George Congo married Miss M. A. Goff and Mr. Thomas Goff married Miss Nancy Alexander at the resident of Thomas Goff. All are from 6th District, Irwin County.

Vol. 8, #13, Thursday Morning, 26 Mar.1874:

Mrs. Nancy Bishop, age 73 yrs., died in Dodge County on Saturday, 16 Mar. She was the wife of the late Simeon Bishop and mother of Mr. James Bishop of Eastman.

Linsey C. Coleman, age about 22 yrs., was killed in Abbeville, Wilcox County, by John Dozier on Monday night the 16th inst. He was the only son of Mr. Elisha Coleman and was unmarried.

Mrs. Anna E. Snell, age 23 yrs., died at the residence of her father in this County on 18 Dec.1873. She was the wife of Jacob M. Snell and daughter of Mr. Wilson Hendrick. She was married on 3 Dec.1872.

Miss Sallie M. Conner, age 9 yrs., died on Friday night, 6 Feb.1874, after a short illness. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Conner. On 16

Jul.1873, she was converted and professed religion and joined the M. E. Church, South, at Pleasant Hill to the Rev. Mr. Corley.

Vol. 8, #14, Thursday Morning, 2 Apr.1874:

Mr. Thomas Jones of Wilcox married Miss Eliza McKinney of Pulaski on Thursday evening, 26 ult., at the residence of John McKinney, Esq. Rev. John Churchwell performed the ceremony. (not married yet--see 23 Apr.1874, Vol. 8, #17)

Vol. 8, #16, Thursday Morning, 16 Apr.1874:

Miss Eugenia L. Burke, daughter of A.T. Burke, Esq., formerly of Hawkinsville, was married on the 15th inst. to Mr. Evans S. Terry of Longview, Texas. The ceremony took place in Texas.

Rev. George Powell married Miss Nancy A. E. Rozar on the evening of the 2d inst. at the residence of the bride's father. Rev. Mr. Richard Smith conducted the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski County.

Vol. 8, #17, Thursday Morning, 23 Apr.1874:

Mrs. Lissa Turner, wife of Mr. James Turner, died in Floyd County, Ga., on 26 Mar. She is survived by three children. Mrs. Turner was the daughter of Mr. Woodward, who in the company with Mr. Turner and others left Pulaski county a few years ago and settled in Floyd.

Vol. 8, #18, Thursday Morning, 30 Apr.1874:

Mr. D. E. Brown of Dooly County married Miss E. V. Engram of Houston County. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Thomas Lane at the residence of the bride's father.

Mr. Eli K. Wilcox married Miss Woodie Reid, daughter of Drury Reid on 29 Mar. Both are from Wilcox County. Rev. D.E. Hunter conducted the ceremony.

Vol. 8, #20, Thursday Morning, 14 May 1874:

Mrs. M. A. Martin, wife of James D. Martin and daughter of Col. S. D. Killen of Houston County, died on Sunday, 3 May.

Mrs. Sarah Gray, age 58 yrs., died on the 2d instant. She was the wife of Josiah D. Gray of Houston County.

Maj. John K. Whaley, age 75 yrs., died on Tuesday evening, 12th instant, at the residence of Mr. A. L. Tippett three miles from Hawkinsville. Maj. Whaley was a native of North Carolina but moved to Georgia at the age of eighteen and settled in Wilkinson County where he was married about 57 years ago. A few years afterward he moved to Sumter County and six years later to Pulaski County where he had lived for nearly 30 years. A short while before the war he moved to Hamilton County, Florida, and in 1872 returned to this County. He

is survived by his wife. He was buried at Antioch Church on Wednesday afternoon.

Vol. 8, #21, Thursday Morning, 21 May 1874:

The infant son of Mr. John T. Brown of Dooly was choked to death one day last week with a groundpea hull.

Vol. 8, #22, Thursday Morning, 28 May 1874:

Mr. William C. Oliver died at the residence of his uncle, Mr. S.T. Young, at Gum Creek in Dooly County, on the night of the 19th inst. of consumption. He is survived by his widowed mother living in Scriven County, Ga.

Mr. Andrew W. Sutton, age 64 yrs., died suddenly on Tuesday morning, 19 inst. He was from Irwin County.

Mrs. Pounds, wife of Judge A.J. Pounds of Dooly county, died on Tuesday, the 19th inst.

Mr. James Buchanan Hinson married Miss Dollie Allen on Sunday evening the 10th inst. at the residence of James Harley, Esq. Both are from Pulaski.

Vol. 8, #23, Thursday Morning, 4 Jun.1874:

Mr. Young Thompson, who was shot by Marshall Gregory in Dooly county, a few days ago, died on Tuesday of last week, after a period of intense suffering.

Vol. 8, #24, Thursday Morning, 11 Jun.1874:

Walton Smithhart, age 16 yrs., drowned in Alapaha on Sunday last. He was the only son of Mr. David E. Smithhart, who was in Darien at the time of the accident.

Mr. Norman E. Mitchell of Wilcox married Miss Rebecca Nelson of houston on the evening of 28 May. Rev. Mr. Petty performed the ceremony.

Mr. Madison Fitzgerald married Miss Carrie Mitchell on 4 Jun. Miss Mitchell is the daughter of the late Mr. C. L. Mitchell. D. L. McLeod, Esq. conducted the ceremony. Both are from Wilcox.

Vol. 8, #25, Thursday Morning, 18 Jun.1874:

Old Mr. One-eyed Cunningham, the Irish peddler, who was reported killed somewhere in the wilds of Wilcox or Irwin, has come to life. He reached Hawkinsville safely last Saturday and affirms that he has not been killed.

Vol. 8, #26, Thursday Morning, 25 Jun.1874:

Rev. Enos Young, age 81 yrs., died in Dooly county on the 12 inst. He was buried with Masonic honors on the 18th at Drayton.

Pattie Davis, daughter of Judge Wm. H. Davis of this place, died of typhoid fever on Friday evening last, and was buried in Orange Hill Cemetery on Saturday morning. She was a member of Hawkinsville Baptist Sunday School and her burial was attended by her Sunday School class.

Gus Tarver, youngest son of Mrs. E. A. Tarver, died on Monday morning of congestion of the brain. The funeral was preached by Rev. G. R. McCall at the Baptist Church, and burial was Tuesday morning in Orange Hill. Little Gus belonged to the Methodist Sunday School.

Vol. 8, #28, Thursday Morning, 9 Jul.1874:

Mr. Henry H. Rozar was born in Pulaski County, Georgia, 1 Aug.1849, and died at his residence in Cochran on 4 Jun.1874. He was a charter member of Excelcior Lodge, #163 of the United Friends of Temperance.

Mitchell Brown, age 8 mos., died on 11 May 1874 at the residence of D. M. Brown, Esq. He was the son of John T. and C. E. Brown of Milwood, Dooly County.

Mr. Needam J. Taylor, formerly of Pulaski County, now lives at Buck Horn, Stone County, Arkansas.

Mrs. Eubanks, wife of J. D. Eubanks and daughter of John Washington Carruthers, died on Sunday evening last after a lingering illness. The funeral services were held at the residence and led by J. R. Corley. Burial was at Orange Hill Cemetery.

Snellie McGriff, youngest son of Judge P. T. McGriff, died Sunday afternoon after a brief illness. Graveside services were led by Rev. George R. McCall at the Orange Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Griffin, wife of Joel R. Griffin of Fort Valley, died Thursday last. She was a sister of Mr. W. D. King of Hawkinsville.

Mr. Samuel Sanders, age about 78 yrs., died on 29 May last at his home on Merritt's Island in Indian River, Florida. He was a citizen of Pulaski County for many years. He came from Wilkenson to this County about 1856 and moved to Florida in 1870.

Vol. 8, #29, Thursday Morning, 16 Jul.1874:

Mr. Tom Bothwell died about 1 O'Clock this morning. The remains will probably be carried to Americus for interment. Mr. Bothwell was a son of Dr. Wm. Bothwell, formerly of Dooly County, but at the time of his death resided in Lee, where his mother and brother live.

Vol. 8, #30, Thursday Morning, 23 Jul.1874:

Mrs. Castellow, an excellent Christian lady, died on the 27th of last month at her home in Houston County.

Mr. Mack Barber, a well known citizen living on Cedar Creek in this County, died on Monday, 20th inst., of dropsy. He had been sick a long while.

Mrs. Rebecca Mock, living in the same neighborhood, died very suddenly on Friday last. Her husband Arthur Mock, is said to be over 100 years old.

Vol. 8, #31, Thursday Morning, 30 Jul.1874:

Mac Gilbrey Barber, age 63 yrs., died at hs residence 17 Jul.1874. He was a citizen of Pulaski County for more than 30 years. He is survived by his wife and seven children. He was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church for 28 years and served as a Deacon for 17 years.

Annie Penelipa Taylor, aged 10 mos., 21 days, died Saturday 25 inst. of conjestion of the bowels. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Taylor.

Vol. 8, #32, Thursday Morning, 6 Aug.1874:

Mr. Alexander C. McRae, a young and well known citizen of Telfair, died at McRae on Friday 31st ult. of consumption. He was buried near Lumber City on the 1st instant with Masonic honors.

Vol. 8, #33, Thursday Morning, 13 Aug.1874:

John Gregory, age 80 yrs., died at his home on the east side of the river on Monday last. He was one of the oldest settlers in Pulaski County. He came from North Carolina to this County when he was a young man. He served in the United States Army during the War of 1812.

Mr. Monroe Dupree married Miss Mattie Pollock at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. E.A. Pollock, on the 9th inst.. Rev. John Churchwell conducted the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski.

Augustus A. J. Tarver died 22 Jun.1874.

Vol. 8, #34, Thursday Morning, 20 Aug.1874:

Mrs. Carroll, wife of A.Y. Carroll, died at her residence here Saturday last and the burial took place in Orange Hill Cemetery Sunday morning.

Vol. 8, #36, Thursday Morning, 3 Sept.1874:

In a double wedding, Mr. John T. Tucker married Miss Nancy Pickren and Mr. Jacob Tucker married Miss Easter Pickren on Sunday morning 16th ult. The two brothers married the two sisters at the residence of their father, Mr. William

Pickren. Mr. Woodson L. Wilcox conducted the ceremony. All are from Coffee County.

Mr. John McQueen of Montgomery County married Miss Lizzie Cally of Coffee County on Monday morning 17th ult. at the residence of Mr. G. W. Smith. Rev. W. F. Robberts performed the ceremony.

Mr. E. J. Henry of Hawkinsville married Miss C. May Russell of Lawrenceville, Ga, on Tuesday evening 25th ult at the residence of the bride's step-father, Dr. Shafer. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Fraser of Decatur.

George W. Whitfield, son of Dr. N. B. Whitfield, was killed by a falling tree in this County on Monday, 24 Aug. The accident occurred about 3 O'Clock in the afternoon and young Whitfield lived until about 1 O'Clock the next morning.

Joseph Phillips, age 68 yrs., died very suddenly last Thursday evening from apoplexy. Mr. Phillips was born in Green County, North Carolina, and moved with his father to Georgia in 1808. The family settled on Rocky Creek in Laurens County where Mr. Phillips grew up. He lived there until 1858 when he moved to Pulaski County. Mr. Phillips joined the Rocky Creek Church in 1844, and after he moved to Pulaski his membership was with Blue Spring Church.

Vol. 8, #37, Thursday Morning, 10 Sept.1874:

George Westberry, age 23 yrs., died on the morning of the 2nd inst. at 4 O'Clock A.M. at the residence of his stepfather near Vienna, Ga. after a short illness. He was buried in the Vienna Cemetery.

John Love Wood, age 7 mos., died the 31st ult. after a brief illness. He was youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wood.

John R. Love, age 1 yr., 6 mos, died on Wednesday, 2 Sept. He was the last and only son of the late John R. Love.

Mr. John M. Daniel married Miss M. J. Harrell on the evening of the 3d inst. at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Levi H. Harrell. Rev. Mr. Mills conducted the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski.

Vol. 8, #38, Thursday Morning, 17 Sept.1874:

Tribute of Respect: Alexander C. McRae, age 31 yrs., 4 mos, 10 days, died 31 Jul.1874. He was Junior Warden of this Lodge.

Mrs. Carrie Lawrence, formerly Miss Carrie Pooler, died at her home in Marietta last week. Her mother and step-father, Dr. Colding, are presently in Marietta.

Vol. 8, #39, Thursday Morning, 24 Sept.1874:

Tribute of Respect: Henry Rozar, a member of Cochran Grange. (No dates or genealogical information given except information on birth and death would be recorded in Secretary's book.)

Vol. 8, #40, Thursday Morning, 1 Oct.1874:

Zacharia Hall of Dooly - While in Vienna last week we met with Mr. Zacharia Hall, an old veteran of the War of 1812 between Great Britain and the United States. Mr. Hall is 90 years old and was about 28 years old when he was a soldier in the American Army. He receives a pension of $96.00 a year ($24.00 a quarter) from the United States Government. He was married more than 65 years ago and has 13 living sons and daughters (6 sons and 7 daughters). From these have descended over 125 grandchildren, many of whom live in Dooly with their children's children. In fact, it would take the census man a whole week to enumerate the Halls of Dooly and write down their ages. Mr. Hall's oldest son, William, is 65 years of age. There were 16 children born; 3 are dead. Mr. Hall has been a member of the Primitive Baptist Church for nearly 60 years. He is still lively and retains the faculties of mind but has lost the use of his lower limbs and has to be carried from place to place.

Asa Brown was killed in Dodge County in the vicinity of Station No. 12 on Thursday 24 inst. Asa Brown was the brother of Henry Brown who was also killed about 3 years ago.

Mr. Jessie Woodward married Miss Amanda Taylor in Dooly County on the 17th instant. Rev. Mr. Fields conducted the ceremony.

Mr. Henry Stains married Miss Jane Lucius on the 17th inst. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Fields. Both are from Dooly County.

Jerry Y. Lee married Miss Columbia Burch at the residence of the bride's father in Laurens County on 20 Sept.1874. Rev. W. S. Ramsey conducted the ceremony. Miss Burch is the daughter of H. M. Burch, Esq.

Vol. 8, #41, Thursday Morning, 8 Oct.1874:

Master Johnnie Dykes, age about 16 yrs., died here on Thursday evening last after a short illness. He was left an orphan when quite young.

Vol. 8, #42, Thursday Morning, 15 Oct.1874:

Caroline M. F. Laurence, age 24 yrs., died in Atlanta on 9 Sept.1874. She was the wife of Proctor B. Laurence.

Tribute of Respect, Blue Spring Grange, No. 375, 1 Oct.1874. Joseph Philips died on 27 Aug.1874.

Vol. 8, #43, Thursday Morning, 22 Oct.1874:

Rev. Richard M. Tucker, age 73 yrs., died at his residence six miles north of Alapaha on Tuesday afternoon, 6 Oct., 3 O'Clock, after a lingering illness with inflammatory rheumatism of over two months. Mr. Tucker was one of the oldest and most prominent citizens of Berrien County. He was born in Laurens County, Georgia, in 1801; moved to Irwin County 45 years ago; and was living at the place where he died when Berrien County was formed. He was a minister of the Primitive Baptist Church for 40 years. He was the father of 16 children, 11 of whom are now living. He was buried at his place on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Eneus S. Murphy married Miss Fannie S. Anderson on Thursday evening last at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Robert S. Anderson, Sr. Rev. McCall, pastor of Hawkinsville Baptist Church, performed the ceremony. Mr. Murphy is from Barnesville. The happy couple left for Barnesville Friday morning.

Vol. 8, #44, Thursday Morning, 29 Oct.1874:

Mr. J. M. Bullard married Miss Mattie Dykes on Thursday evening, 15 Oct., at the residence of the bride's father. Rev. M. N. McCall conducted the ceremony.

Tribute of Respect for Alfred A. Smith, member of Hazlehurst Lodge F. & A. M. We are pleased to see in our town again our former fellow-citizen, Dr. Simeon W. Taylor, of Orange County, Fla. The Doctor is in town for a visit to his relatives and for the purpose of settling some business matters. He was married on the 13th inst. to Miss Minnie Beall, daughter of Dr. Beall of Lake Jessup, Fla., formerly of Alabama. The Doctor reports his little orange orchard as flourishing and that Dr. Batts Mitchell and family are well.

Vol. 8, #45, Thursday Morning, 5 Nov.1874:

Mr. James I. Clements and Miss Mary J. Paulk were married at the residence of R.W. Clements, Esq. in Irwinville on Tuesday 20th ult. Rev. Jacob Young conducted the ceremony. Both are from Irwin County.

Vol. 8, #46, Thursday Morning, 12 Nov.1874:

John Taylor was shot and killed by John Daily on Sunday evening last, 8th inst., near Providence Church, about five miles from Hawkinsville on the Dublin road. Both were young men, Daily being about 21 years of age and Taylor perhaps a few years older. Mr. Taylor was buried in a grave yard on the place of Isham Armstrong on Monday. He is survived by his widowed mother. The family came to this County from Crawford some years ago.

Vol. 8, #47, Thursday Morning, 19 Nov.1874:

Mr. Billy Gibbs of Wilcox County died on Thursday last. He was an old and highly esteemed citizen. He was buried with Masonic honors at the old family

burying ground. (See Vol. 8, #50.)

Johnny Pate, age about 80 yrs., died a few days ago. He was from Dodge County.

Willie Hardin, aged about 16 yrs., died Sunday last. He was the the grandson of Mr. Robert S. Anderson, Sr. Burial was in Orange Hill Cemetery on Monday. Death resulted from Malarial fever.

Mr. Caleb Fullington, one of the oldest settlers of Dooly County, died on Wednesday evening of last week, at an advanced age. He came to Dooly County about fifty years ago and at the time of his death was living at the same place on the lot of land upon which he settled.

Mr. Ezekiel Tippett married Miss Rachael Gunn on Sunday morning 15th inst. at the residence of the bride's father, W. L. Gunn of Dooly. Rev. Larkin Joiner conducted the ceremony.

Col. J. S. Freeman married a daughter of Judge Lyon of Macon last Wednesday evening. Col. Freeman was recently admitted to the bar of Dodge County.

Vol. 8, #49, Thursday Morning, 2 Dec.1874:

The Hon. Thomas J. Smith and Miss N. A. Clemens were married on Sunday, 22 Nov., at the residence of the bride. J. S. Walker, Esq. performed the ceremony.

Capt. John A. Coffee married Miss Nannie C. Brown on Thursday evening 26th inst. ult. at the residence of the bride's mother. Rev. R. J. Corley conducted the ceremony. Capt. Coffee is from Hawkinsville and Miss Brown is from Houston County.

Vol. 8, #50, Thursday Morning, 10 Dec.1874:

Tribute of Respect: William Gibbs, age about 60 yrs., died on the 12th ult. He was a member of the Western Light Lodge, No. 272, F. & A. M. He was buried with Masonic honors at his family grave yard on the 14th.

Dr. C. E. Clarke and his family leave soon for Texas and Mr. Lewis Davis is moving to upper Georgia.

William Brickle was shot and killed by Wright Campbell at Jacksonville, Telfair County, Saturday evening last. He died one hour after the shooting. Both men were well known to the citizens of Telfair. Brickle leaves a young wife, to whom he was recently married.

Mr. W. H. Kinchen married Miss Anna Newman on Tuesday evening the 8th inst. at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Arthur Newman. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. Moses N. McCall. Both are from Pulaski County.

Vol. 8, #51, Thursday Morning, 17 Dec.1874:

Mr. S. M. Stokes and Miss Claudie Hill were married on the evening of the 6th inst. at the residence of the bride's father. Rev. R. J. Corley performed the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski County.

Mrs. Nancy Maddox, wife of William Maddox, near York, died on 6th instant, of pneumonia.

Mrs. Hollemon, mother of Barnett Hollemon, died at the residence of her grandson, Mr. C. B. Wellborn, near York on the 7th instant of pneumonia.

Mr. J. M. Brantley married Miss Mattie Scarboro at the residence of Rev. G. W. Scarboro on the 8th instant. Both are from Houston County near York.

Mr. John Pearce married Miss Laura Finleyson at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. John Finleyson of Wilcox, on the morning of the 13th inst. Rev. Mr. McRanie conducted the ceremony.

Mr. Edward Pearce married Miss Susan Williams on the 13th inst. at the residence of Mr. Oliver Churchwell. Rev. John Churchwell conducted the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski.

Mr. George Peacock married Miss Mary Phillips on the 29th ult. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. S. Thompson. Both are from Dodge County.

Mr. Willard Oliver married Miss Lizzie Mobley on Sunday morning 13th inst. at the residence of Mr. N. H. Mobley. Rev. M. N. McCall conducted the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski.

Mr. James D. Delamar married Miss Faithy Willis on the 9th inst. at the residence of Mr. Irvin Willis. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. Daniel Fann. Both are from Pulaski.

Mr. John McLeod and Miss Phoebe Reeve were married on the morning of the 13th inst. at the residence of Rev. P. Reaves. Both are from Dodge County.

Dr. S. M. Roberts married Miss Clara L. Killen on the 9th inst. at the residence of Mr. W. H. Brown in Dooly County. J. F. Harvard, Notary Public, performed the ceremony. Both are from Dooly County.

Vol. 8, #52, Thursday Morning, 24 Dec.1874:

Mrs. Marietta Brown, wife of Mr. Thomas Brown of Dooly County, died on the 13th inst.

Mr. Franklin Smith of Telfair and Miss Ellen E. Clements of Montgomery County were married on the evening of the 17th instant at the residence of the bride's father. Rev. H. C. Fentress officiated.

Mr. John W. McRae of Telfair married Miss Clementine Surrency of Appling at the residence of the bride's father at Surrency on the evening of the 16th inst. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. A. Clarke.

Mary Florence Grimsley, age 16 mos., died in Eastman, Ga.,20 Dec.1874. She was the daughter of Annie and John Grimsley.

Wash Wells was killed by Arch Hughes in Lumber City, Telfair County, Friday or Saturday last. Both were citizens of Telfair.

Mr. J. W. Edwards of Macon was married to Miss Pennie Bryan, daughter of William Bryan, Esq. of Dooly on the 17 inst.

Mr. Lochran McLean of McRae was married to Miss Hattie Lassester in Pulaski, Tennessee, on the 15th inst. Miss Lassester graduated from Wesleyan Female College, Macon, Ga., where she formerly resided.

Mr. J. D. Eubanks and Miss Sarah T. Bell were married on the morning of the 21st at the Methodist Church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. J. Corley. Both are from Hawkinsville.

Mr. Thomas J. Taylor and Miss Julia E. Riley were married on the evening of 16th inst. at the residence of Mr. John F. McLeod. Rev. R. O. Holton conducted the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski.

Mr. John W. Gunn married Miss Mollie J. Scarborough on the 9th inst. at the residence of the bride's mother. Rev. Larkin Joiner performed the ceremony. Both are from Dooly.

Mr. J. J. Bryant and Miss Amelia Taylor were married on the evening of the 17th inst. at the residence of S. L. Taylor, Esq. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. L. Joiner. Both are from Dooly.

Mr. Coot Bowen married Miss Louisa Peavy on the evening of the 17th inst. at the residence of Mr. Isaac Y. Peavy. Both are from Dooly.

Vol. 9, #1, Thursday Morning, 7 Jan.1875:

Captain Patrick Gray died at his home near Byron, Houston County, on 28 Dec.1874. He was a soldier in the last war.

Mr. S. G. Weaver died in Crawford County on Tuesday night, 15 Dec., of hemorrhage of the lungs. Mr Weaver was a carpenter who used to live here. He is survived by his wife and one child.

Mr. John R. Carroll and Miss Sarah E. Clewis of Dooly County ran away from their homes and were married in Perry at the Office of the Ordinary on 31 Dec.1874.

Mr. J. G. McVay, watchman of the railroad bridge here, died Saturday last.

Mr. Loam Brown, age 75 yrs., died on 18 Dec.1874 in the Sixth District of Dooly County.

Tobe Johnson, better known as Tobe Matthews, age about 13 yrs., died suddenly at the residence of Mrs. James Matthews about five miles west of Hawkinsville on Tuesday night, 29 Dec.1874.

Mr. W. S. Hollamon of Wilkinson County was married to Miss Virgie Jelks of Hawkinsville Tuesday evening last. The ceremony was performed by Rev. George R. McCall at the Baptist Church.

Dr. Joseph B. Dunwoody of Houston County was murdered on the night of 24 Dec.1874. Dr. Dunwoody lived with his father, Rev. James Dunwoody, eight miles south of Perry. James Frazier was arrested in Hawkinsville the next morning by the Marshal. He requested to be taken to the law office of Mr. L. C. Ryan with whom he consulted. He was then taken to jail where he remained until evening when he was taken to Perry. James Frazier was raised in Pulaski County. During the war, he was a member of Company G, Eight Georgia Regiment.

Mr. Mark Rawlens married Miss Catherine Studstill on 24 Dec.1874 at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. G. T. Studstill. John S. Walker, Esq. conducted the ceremony. Both are from Telfair County.

Vol. 9, #4, Thursday Morning, 28 Jan.1875:

Mr. J. G. McVay died on the night of the 2d instant.

Tribute of Respect: Millwood Lodge, F. & A. M., 11 Jan.1875. Brother W. B. Youngblood, age 37 yrs., 1 mo., 17 days, died on 31 Dec.1874. He was born in Dooly County on 14 Nov.1837.

Mr. Samuel Gurr, a highly esteemed citizen of Houston County, was found dead in his bed last Saturday morning.

Mr. W. A. Wiggins of Fort Valley died Saturday last of brain fever. He is survived by his wife and six children, five of whom are girls.

Mr. William J. Etheridge married Miss Susan Hooks on the morning of the 16th inst. Rev L. Joiner conducted the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski.

Vol. 9, #6, Thursday Morning, 11 Feb.1875:

Asa Watson died on the 24th ult. at Chappell's Mills in Laurens County. Mr. Watson was a veteran soldier of the War of 1812. Through the influence of Mr. T. N. Beall of Irwinton, Mr. Watson had been put on the pension roll of the Government for his services in 1812 and had been receiving $8.00 per month.

Mr. William R. Brown died Thursday afternoon last after a lingering illness of pneumonia. He has recently moved to Macon from Houston County.

Mr. William Wade married Miss Ella J. Weaver on the evening of the 27th ult. Rev. D. N. Fann performed the ceremony. Both are from Cochran.

Mr. Henry Mashburn, age 70 yrs., died at his home near Eureka, Dooly County, on Tuesday night last. He had been confined to his bed for about a week with a severe cold. Mr Mashburn was a citizen of Dooly for many years.

Mr. William Studstill and Miss Cerena McLean were married on the evening of the 28th ult. at the residence of the bride's mother. Both are from Telfair County.

Mrs. Fannie Washington (Miss Fannie Phillips) graduated from Madison Female College in 1859. She was married to Mr. Samuel H. Washington and had a son, Jimmie.

Vol. 9, #7, Thursday Morning, 18 Feb.1875:

Mr. Johnny Marchman, age 68 yrs., died on Tuesday evening of last week of pneumonia. He lived in the Twelfth District of Houston County and moved from Putnam County about 15 years ago.

Mr. William Allen, age 65 yrs., died Friday evening last. He had been in declining health for several months. Mr. Allen came from Wilkinson County but had lived in Pulaski for about 50 years. For 40 years, he was a member and Deacon in the Missionary Baptist Church. Burial was in the family burying grounds by the members of Limestone Grange of which Mr. Allen was a member.

Mr. Woodson Tolan of Macon County married Miss Martha Buckholts of Dooly on the morning of the 2d inst. at the residence of Mr. J. R. Horne. The ceremony was performed by Rev. M. McDonald.

Mr. Stephen Boutwell of Dodge County died recently. (Not dead, still living. See Page 3, Vol. 9, #8, 25 Feb.1875)

Vol. 9, #8, Thursday Morning, 25 Feb.1875:

Mr. Hamilton Harvey, age 65 yrs., died in Sumter County on the 13th inst. He was buried in Houston County with Masonic honors. Mr. Harvey had been a citizen of Houston County for 40 years.

Hon. B. B. Hamilton of Sumter County died in Atlanta on the 14th inst. from an attack of pneumonia. Mr. Hamilton was born and raised in Pulaski County and about 35 years ago he represented this County in the General Assembly. He was also the brother-in-law of our present Representative, Hon. L. L. Harrell. He is survived by his brothers, Mr. J. J. Hamilton of Dodge; Mr. W. G. Hamilton of this place; and Warren G. Hamilton of Dooly.

Mr. Henry Herrman of Eastman died Sunday last and was buried in Macon on Monday. Mr. Herrman was the senior of the firm of H. Herrman & Son, merchants

in Eastman.

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Phillips, wife of James Alexander James Phillips of Pulaski County, died on 13 Feb.1875. She was born in Nash County, North Carolina, on 18 Dec.1832 and was married on 19 May 1852. She had lived in Pulaski County since her marriage. She is survived by her husband and four children.

Dr. J. H. Oakley married Mrs. Fannie McKennon on the 14th instant at the residence of the bride. Dr. Oakley is formerly from Hawkinsville and Mrs. McKennon is from Telfair.

Vol. 9, #9, Thursday Morning, 4 Mar.1875:

Mrs. Elizabeth Tomberlin, age 26 yrs., died on the morning of 11 Feb.1875 after a short illness. She was the wife of John A. Tomberlin, and the step-daughter of J. W. Mashburn. She is survived by four small children, one brother, and a sister. She was baptized into the membership of the Baptist Church at Mt. Zion in 1866 and was a deaconess of the church.

Mrs. M. Hattie Garrison, age 29 yrs., 9 mos, died in Atlanta, Ga., on the 19th inst. She was the wife of J. A. Garrison and daughter of John F. and H. J. McLeod of Wilcox County.

Mrs. Robert H. Brasswell, age 45 yrs., died on 24 Feb. of pneumonia. He was a native of Laurens County and a member of the Baptist Church.

Mrs. Edwards, wife of Mr. Edward Edwards, died at her home here on Friday night last of consumption. The funeral was preached at the residence by Rev. George R. McCall and burial was in Orange Grove Cemetery.

Dr. C. E. Clarke left this County for Texas Tuesday morning, taking his family with him. His destination is Ellis County. The last words he said were, "tell our people to make more bread and meat."

Mr. Steven Daniel of Houston married Miss Georgia Newman of Pulaski on Sunday morning 28th ult. at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Arthur Newman. Rev George R. McCall performed the ceremony.

We were considerably surprised on receiving yesterday a letter from Troup, Texas, from Mr. T. C. Fletcher, formerly of Temperance, Telfair County. When we last heard from Tom, he was getting subscribers for the Diaptch in Telfair and now he writes from the "far west" that is is still hunting subscribers for our paper and his letter proves his success.

Vol. 9, #10, Thursday Morning, 11 Mar.1875:

Richard Wilkinson, for awhile a citizen of Pulaski County, took the train at McRae, on the Macon and Brunswick Railroad, about the 24th of last December, destined for Texas. Mr. Wilkinson's family, consisting of a wife and seven

children, went with him. When they reached New Orleans, Mrs. Wilkinson became sick, and as they had but a small amount of money, it was arranged that she should be taken to the city hospital, and her oldest son Noah, left to wait upon her, while the husband and the six other children should go on to Texas and prepare a home. Mrs. Wilkinson soon died, and in a few days her son followed her to the grave. By this time Mr. Wilkinson had reached Houston, Texas, and was also taken sick, and being in reduced circumstances he, too, was compelled to go to the hospital in that city. Soon afterwards news reached him by letter that his wife and son had died in New Orleans. He lingered but a few days longer and death ended his troubles on this earth and his body found a grave on Texas soil. Little Abe, aged three years, and next to the youngest child, also took sick and died about the same time. Thus by the hand of death were five little orphans left in a strange country and to the mercy of strangers, but there were kind people there who gave them assistance. Mrs. S. M. Miller, the general ticket agent of Houston, gave them tickets for a portion of the way, and wrote them a kind letter to other railroad officials detailing their sufferings and misfortunes. A Mr. E. E. Sumner, of Lincolnton, North Carolina, came with them from Texas to Opelika, Alabama, and rendered them valuable aid along the route. Passengers also gave them assistance in small contributions of money, and by all such kind favors they were enable to reach Hawkinsville one day last week. They have a sister, Mrs. Saluda Mitchell, living in this county, and the children have sought her house for a home. The little babe, a boy about eighteen months old, was left with a gentleman in Texas. The children report that their father, mother, and two brothers all died of "black tongue fever."

Mr. Lafayette Baskin married Miss Luda Partin on the evening of the 4th instant at the residence of J. J. Manning. Rev. John Churchwell performed the ceremony. Both are from Pulaski.

Vol. 9, #11, Thursday Morning, 18 Mar.1875:

Mrs. F. A. Finck, age 87 yrs. and one of the oldest inhabitants of Jeffersonville, Twiggs County, died. Mrs. William Faulks and Mrs. R. A. Hill of Twiggs also died.

Mr. James H. Dyches was married on the morning of the 11th inst. to Miss Sallie Reid, youngest daughter of Hon. George R. Reid of Wilcox. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. O. Holton at the residence of the bride's father after which the newlyweds returned to Hawkinsville.

Vol. 9, #12, Thursday Morning, 25 Mar.1875:

Dr. L. F. W. Andrews, who was engaged in the newspaper business in Macon and Americus for a long time, died suddendly in Americus last week. For several months he had been traveling and preaching the doctrine of universalism.

Mr. Asa Woodward, age about 60 yrs., died on Wednesday, the 3rd inst. He was from Houston County and is survived by a large family.

Mr. J. B. McMurray, over 70 yrs. old, died last Sunday week and was buried Monday with the customary honors of a Patron of Husbandry. The Perry Grange joined with the Houston Factory Grange in honoring him.

Mr. L. Spicer, also died Sunday in Houston County and was buried on Monday. He is survived by a large family.

Steve Cowan died on Friday last of wounds incurred in a shooting last week.

Peter Pierce, better known as Fidler Peter, also died one day last week. It is reported that Peter died of consumption but we are inclined to think that too much whiskey was "what ailed him."

On Saturday evening, 13th inst., a terrible and bloody crime was committed in the lower portion of Dooly County. Jack Gilbert and Green King had been unfriendly for some time. King walked into his house and falling upon his bed, died an hour and a half later. His wife and three children saw him shot and one or two of his white labors were witnesses to the terrible deed.

Mrs. Josey Bowen, age 25 yrs., died in Dooly County on the 9th inst. after a short illness. Mrs. Bowen was the wife of Mr. William H. Bowen and a member of the Methodist Church.

Col. Jonathan Rivers, died this Wednesday afternoon at his residence in Hawkinsville.

Vol. 9, #14, Thursday Morning, 8 Apr.1875:

Mr. W. W. Bozeman of Twiggs County is dead.

Deputy United States Marshal James C. Blanee brought Scott Powell and Samuel Varnadoe from Telfair County to Savannah Thursday morning. They were arrested at their homes about eight miles from Lumber City in Telfair County under a warrant issued by United Stated Commissioner Wilson charging them with the offense of murder.

Mrs. Lizzie Duncan, wife of Judge J. T. Duncan, died in Laruens County on the 7th ult.

Mr. J. T. McCormick married Miss Minnie E. Ryan on Wednesday, 31st ult. at the residence of the bride's father, Dr. T. D. L. Ryan. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. W. M. Hays. Both are from Pulaski.

Col. Jonathan Rivers died peacefully at his home in this place Wednesday afternoon last. A short while before dying, he talked with his pastor, Rev. George R. McCall, and among his last words said that he was "not afraid to die." The funeral was conducted by Rev. McCall at the Baptist Church on Thursday afternoon. Col. Rivers was buried with Masonic honors in the Orange Grove Cemetery by the members of Mt. Hope Lodge, F. &. A. M. of this place. Col. Rivers was born in Wilkinson County in 1830 and was 44 years old when he

died. He moved from Dublin to Hawkinsville in the fall of 1873 and formed a partnership with Col. George W. Jordan in the practice of law. In the late war he was Mayor of the 49th Georgia Regiment and lost a leg in the second battle of Manassas.

Vol. 9, #15, Thursday Morning, 15 Apr.1875:

Mr. Solomon Burnam, age about 65 yrs., was found dead one day last week. Mr. Burnam was from Houston County.

Tribute of Rrespect: Mt. Hope Lodge, No. 9, F. &. A. M., Hawkinsville, Ga., 9 Apr.1875. Jonathan Rivers was born in Wilkinson County on 10 Aug.1830 and died on 31 Mar.1875.

Mr. J. M. Hall was found dead in his bed at Cochran on Monday morning last. Dr. T. F. Walker made an examination of the body and give it as his opinion that death resulted from heart disease. Mr. Hall had been living in Pulaski and Laurens Counties for about 18 years. He came from Wilmington, North Carolina. Mr. Hall told Mr. Hill that he had no relatives in this country. He belonged to the Masonic fraternity and was buried with Masonic honors by Cochran Lodge on Tuesday morning.

Vol. 9, #16, Thursday Morning, 22 Apr.1875:

Mr. John K. Maloy married Miss Mary D. Ryalls on the evening of 18 Apr. at the residence of the bride's mother. Rev. James Williamson conducted the ceremony. Both are from Telfair County.

Nick Dillard and John Musslewhite were killed almost instantly in Hawkinsville Monday last.

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Vol. 9, #19, Thursday Morning, 29 Apr.1875:

Riley Willcox, infant son of Mr. M. D. Willcox, died Tuesday night last.

Mr. S. J. Delamar, living in the east side of the Ocmulgee, died at the residence of his mother Tuesday night last.

Mr. Mathis Rawlins, age about 65 yrs. and an old citizen of Telfair County, died very suddenly on the 15th inst. Mr. Rawlins was the father of Mr. Young Rawlins, present Tax Receiver of Telfair County.

Nicholas P. Dillard, age 21 yrs., 6 mos., died on 19 Apr.

Tribute of Respect: Cochran Lodge, No. 217, F. &. A. M., Cochran, Ga. 16 Apr.1875. J. M. Hall, a native of North Carolina, died on 12 Apr.1875. He was a member of Laurens Lodge, No. 75 of Free and Accepted Masons.

Vol. 9, #20, Thursday Morning, 6 May 1875:

Batts Mitchell has mysteriously disappeared and foul play is apprehended. The following letter was written to Mr. Isaac W. Mitchell of this county by his brother, Dr. Batts N. Mitchell who left Pulaski four years ago and settled in Florida...

Mrs. Rebecca Burch, wife of Charles Burch and eldest daughter of Ephraim and Christian Yawn, was born 5 Aug.1834 in Telfair County and died 22 Apr.1875 in Dodge County, Georgia. The cause of death was congestion of the heart. Mrs. Burch is survived by nine children.

Rev. James Spence, a Methodist minister living in this county, died on Saturday, 24 Apr. He was buried in Orange Grove Cemetery in Hawkinsville with Masonic honors performed by Mount Hope Lodge on Sunday, 25 Apr.

Mr. Robert B. Pate of Hawkinsville married Miss Minnie E. Brown, daughter of John Green Brown of Houston County, this (Wednesday) afternoon. The ceremony was perform at 3:30 O'Clock at the Methodist Church at Hayneville.

Mr. Arthur Mock, age about 98 yrs., died Tuesday night. He was the oldest citizen of Pulaski County and served in the American Army in the War of 1812. He remained active and sprightly until he took sick about three weeks ago.

Vol. 9, #21, Thursday Morning, 13 May 1875:

Morris Harrison and Aaron Waterman were passengers on the ill-fated steamship, Shiller, which was lost at sea on Friday night last. Mr. Harrison is survived by two brothers in Hawkinsville and Mr. Waterman is also survived by two brothers.

Mr. W. H. Howard married Miss Fannie C. Howard on Thursday evening, the 6th ult. Rev. Robert Willis performed the ceremony. Mr. Howard is from Pulaski County and Miss Howard is from Dodge County.

Vol. 9, #22, Thursday Morning, 20 May 1875:

A letter was received from Mr. James F. Miller who left Pulaski a year or two age for Texas. He wrote from Bazette, Navarro County.

Mr. Josephus Carruthers, better known as "little Joe," died at his plantation on the east side of the river on Saturday night last. He was about 46 yrs. old and was raised in this County. During the late war he was a member of the Eight Georgia Regiment and for a time since then, he was Captain on the boats Hardee and Two Boys which ran the Ocmulgee. He was buried Monday last at the Mitchell burying ground on Pine Level. He is survived by his wife and six children.

One hundred thirty bodies have been recovered from the wreck of the ship Schiller which, with 311 persons on board, was lost at sea a few days ago.

Among the bodies found is that of Mr. M. Harrison of Hawkinsville. The body has been sent back to New York.

Mr. Isaac Herrman of Eastman married Miss Annie Bashinsky of Tennille, Ga on the 5th inst.

Vol. 9, #23, Thursday Morning, 27 May 1875:

Mr. George W. Roberts married Miss Macie J. Oliver on the 9th inst. at the residence of Mrs. Louisa Oliver. The ceremony was conducted by J. F. Harvard, Esq. Both are from Dooly County.

Tribute of Respect: Lee Lodge, No. 18, Knights of Pythias. Morris Harrison died on 5 Apr.1875 while traveling on the ship Schiller to visit the home of his father in Germany. He has lived in Georgia for 16 years. In the War Between the States he served in the Confederate army.

Vol. 9, #24, Thursday Morning, 3 Jun.1875:

Tribute of Respect: Mount Hope Lodge, No. 9, F. &. A. M., Hawkinsville, Ga., 28 May 1875. Morris Harrison was born in Genesen, Prussia, on 2 Jun.1843 and Aaron Waterman was both in Laubheim, Wirtenberg, on 7 Sep.1834. With the purpose of visiting their old home, they took passage on the steamer, Schiller, from New York on 27 Apr.1875 and on the night of 7 May were lost in the wreck of that vessel on the rugged coast of the Sally Islands.

Vol. 9, #25, Thursday Morning, 10 Jun.1875:

Dr. R. T. Persons, a young physician of Fort Valley, committed suicide on Tesday night of last week by taking 55 grains of morphine. Dr. Persons was the son of Rev. George W. Persons, a local Methodist minister in Fort Valley, and was about 35 yrs. old. He had been married about 4 years and is survived by his wife and two children.

George Hendley and Jelks met with several old friends from Hawkinsville while visiting in Florida. Dr. Taylor, Thomas Wheeler, and Dr. Batts Mitchell were among them.

Mrs. Eugenia Boon, wife of Mr. Benjamin F. Boon, died at her home in Hawkinsville on Wednesday, 2d inst. after an illness of a few days. She was buried in Orange Grove Cemetery.

Dr. Herschel V. Johnson married Miss Carrie Belle Roberts at noon on Wednesday, the 2d inst., at the residence of the bride's mother in Macon. Dr. Johnson is the son of ex-Governor Johnson. Rev. Arminius Wright of the Methodist Church conducted the ceremony. The newlyweds reached their home in Hawkinsville by the evening train and are now living here.

James Ira Cowart, age 8 yrs., was drowned on Saturday last in the creek just below Chapman's Mill in Wilkinson County. He is the son of Mr. Jesse Cowart.

Miss Annie Hall, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Morgan Hall, died of typhoid fever at Irwinton on 30 May.

Vol. 9, #26, Thursday Morning, 17 Jun.1875:

Mr. John Gurr, one of the oldest citizens of Houston County, died near Fort Valley last week.

Mr. John H. Freeman, age 55 yrs., was killed by his son-in-law, H. H. Watkins, last week. He was a resident of Wilkinson County and a cousin and brother-in-law of ex-sheriff T. M. Freeman. He is survived by his wife and five children.

James Deaton, infant son of Mr. Thomas L. and Mrs. M. E. Carruthers, died on Thursday, the 10th inst.

The body of the late Morris Harrison, who was drowned at sea, will be buried in New York today (Thursday) at 10 O'Clock.

During the May Term, 1875, of Pulaski Superior Court, the death of Jonathan Rivers, Esq., was announced by Col. C. C. Kibbee. He was born in Wilkinson County on 11 Aug.1831 and died in Hawkinsville on 31 Mar.1875.

Tribute of Respect: Cool Spring Lodge, No. 185, F. & A. M., Cool Spring, Ga., 5 Jun.1875. Aden Scarborough, age 78 yrs. 4 mos., 5 days, died at the residence of his son-in-law, E. J. Floyd, near Mount Calvary Church in Pulaski County on 29 May 1875.

Tribute of Respect: C. W. M. Wynne, Jr., aged 16 yrs., 11 mos., 1 day, died at Cochran, Ga., on 15 Apr.1875.

Vol. 9, #27, Thursday Morning, 24 Jun.1875:

Dr. Henry J. McLeod, formerly of this County, has moved to Waresboro and is practicing medicine there.

Mr. James Tinsley died Monday week. He lived just across the Echeconee in Bibb County and was a Methodist minister.

The infant child of Mr. & Mrs. John Pate died accidently one day last week. The child rolled off the side of the bed and it's head became fastened between the bedstead and the wall, breaking its neck. The child died instantly.

Mrs. Abbie Lindsay, wife of Crawford Lindsay and daughter of Mr. Richard Lindsay of Dooly, died Friday morning last after a brief illness. The remains were carried to Harmony Church for burial.

Charles Byington, a well known young citizen of Fort Valley, died Thursday last. He was 27 years of age.

Vol. 9, #28, Thursday Morning, 1 Jul.1875:

Mr. James Cobb married Miss Mary Harrell on the 20th inst. at the residence of Noah Cobb. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Robert Mills. Both are from Pulaski.

In Memory of Morris Harrison, who was born and raised in Genesen, Prussia, imigrated to America in 1860...

Vol. 9, #29, Thursday Morning, 8 Jul.1875:

None noted.

Vol. 9, #30, Thursday Morning, 15 Jul.1875:

Mr. W. R. Steeley, of Twiggs county, died on the 27th of June and was buried at Jeffersonville. He was one time clerk of the Superior Court of that county.

Mr. Richard L. Rivers died at his home in Dodge county on the 18th of June. He leaves a wife and several children. He was a brother of the late Col. Jonathan Rivers of this city.

Mrs. Francis Wynne, wife of Mr. J. F. Wynne, died on the 23d of June of pneumonia. The funeral was preached at the residence by Rev. Wm. Hays and the remains interred in Orange Grove Cemetery.

Mr. Thornton Cooper, an old and prominent citizen of Houston county, died last Friday. At one time he was a member of the first of Tooke & Cooper, owners of the Houston Factory. He will also be remembered as an influential member of the Baptist Church.

Mrs. B. F. Boon died on the 2d of June after a very brief illness...

"Little Oliver Orlando Evers, age 3 yrs., 4 mos., died near Cochran, Ga., on the 5th instant. He was the youngest son of Jno. T. and Amanda Evers.

Eldread Swain, age 81 yrs., died on the 2d instant at his residence in Wilcox county. He leaves an afflicted companion and three children that are single, at home, to mourn his loss besides many others scattered over the land...

Mrs. Annie E. Owen, wife of the Rev. R. M. Owen and daughter of Thomas and Temperance Feagan, died on Tuesday, 29th June, 1875, in Dooly county after an illness of only a few days. Sister Owen was born in Jones county, Ga., on 21st April 1820. Early in the year 1855, her father moved to Crawford county, where she grew up and was educated. She was married to the Rev. R. M. Owen on 7 December, 1837, by Rev. Z. H. Gordon. Sister Owen joined the Baptist Church at Knoxville, Crawford county, in the year 1845, and was baptized by Rev. Marlin Ansley... At the time of the death of Sister Owen, her younger daughter, Edna, was on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Emma Zelner, in Monroe county... Sister Owen lived to see all of her children (three sons and two daughters) raised

and married, except the younger daughter, whom she had left with a devoted husband to mourn her loss... N.H.M

Vol. 9, #31, Thursday Morning, 22 Jul.1875:

Mr. R. E. Wilder, a citizen of Crawford county, was stuck by lightning and instantly killed at Sanford's mill in Houston county on Tuesday evening of last week.

Vol. 9, #32, Thursday Morning, 29 Jul.1875:

Mrs. Mary E. Neal, daughter of J. M. and A. M. Stokes, was born February 28th, 1858, and died in Cochran, Ga., July 3d, 1875. Sister Neal joined the Methodist Episcopal Church South at Cochran in 1870...

Vol. 9, #33, Thursday Morning, 5 Aug.1875:

Letter From Texas: Willis, Texas

Editor Hawkinsville Dispatch ... I left Georgia the latter part of December last, and have been in Montgomery county, Texas, nearly seven months and am will pleased with this country... Montgomery county, Texas, would make more corn this year than Telfair county, Georgia, will make in four years (that is the county I was raised in, in the old banner State.) Brother W. T. B. is spending the summer out on Sanjacinto river...

Yours, respectfully, G. W. Barron

Rev. Thomas Coleman, an old Methodist minister, died at Henderson, Houston county, on the 24th ult. He was a resident of Fort Valley from 1839 to 1845, and was highly esteemed.

A telegram reached Hawkinsville from Atlanta Saturday eveing last bearing the mournful intelligence of the death of Mrs. James O. Jelks, Jr., who for the last few weeks had been sojourning in that city for the benefit of her health... The remains came down on the Monday morning train from Macon to Cochran and thence conveyed to Hawkinsville. The funeral was preached in a beautiful and appropriate sermon by her late pastor, Rev. Geo. R. McCall, at the Baptist Church at 5 o'clock Monday evening and a large concourse of relatives and friends followed the remains to their final resting place in Orange Grove cemetery.

Indian Sam, age 51 yrs. and the only living representative in this country of the Uchee tribe, died at the residence of D. G. McCormick in Hawkinsville about four o'clock this (Wednesday) morning. Sam was born in 1826 and in 1834 his parents gave him to Major Mathias McCormick, one of the oldest settlers of Pulaski county. Sam had been with the McCormick family 43 years and served them faithfully in his younger days and in his declining age was kindly cared for. For the last few years, he had been in bad health. Since the death of Major McCormick last year, he has lived with D. G. McCormick in this place. He entertained an opinion that he would never die and when death finally came to bear his spirit to the "happy hunting grounds," Sam was

sitting upright in his chair. He died of an abcess in the lungs. His remains will be buring this (Wednesday) evening in Orange Grove Cemetery.

Mr. D. W. Parr, a well known and highly esteemed citizen of Perry, died Thursday last, July 29th, from the effect of an overdose of morphine administered by himself by mistake. Mr. Parr was one of the proprietors and managers of the Houston factory... Macon Telegraph

Mrs. Seney Coody, age 28 yrs., 5 mos., died on the 26th of July after an illness of over two months. She is the wife of Mr. James Coody of Pulaski county. She was an affectionate wife and mother and leaves a husband and ten children and many relatives and friends to mourn her death.

Mrs. Rebecca A. Daniel, age 38 yrs., died July 29th, 1875. She was a daughter of Thomas Fletcher of Temperance, Ga., and wife of S. M. Daniel, a son of J. M. Daniel, of Dodge county. She leaves four little children to the mercy of the world and to the care of relatives. She joined the Methodist church at the age of fourteen years... W.M.F.

Vol. 9, #34, Thursday Morning, 12 Aug.1875:

Capt. Thomas Henly returned home last week from a visit to Kentucky where he went to attend a session of the Court of common Please of that State. He is interested as one of the heirs in a law suit to a large body of land entered in 1782 by Capt. J. A. Meriwether and patented in 1826, being an award for services in the Revolutionary War. The heirs to these lands are the descendants of Alexander Meriwether and Judge J. A. Meriwether, well known in this state. Robert and Jas. A., Jr., sons of Alexander Meriwether, were many years ago citizens of Hawkinsville and their remains now repose in the cemeteries here. The heirs of the Meriwethers have already succeeded in getting possession of about five hundred acres of the land and the prospects are fair for the recovery of much more. Suit was first commenced in 1856, but the war coming on, the matter was abandoned... We wish Capt. Henly and his relatives all good luck possible but we are afraid if they gain this large estate, we shall lose a good citizen.

An Irish peddler from Colquitt county, name unknown, was brutally murdered by a band of fiendish negroes near the place of Capt. J. A. Barclay, in Twiggs county, on Saturday week...

Jeremiah Walker, age 80 yrs., of Wilkinson county is dead. He was a soldier in the War of 1812 and belonged to Capt. Thomas' company from Laurens county. The Government gave him a pension up to his death.

Mrs. Belle Brown, wife of Mr. C. P. Brown and formerly Miss Belle Wootten, died at the Scarborough House in this place on Sunday last after a brief illness. She had a large circle of friends who will lament her death.

Mr. Daniel Finleyson, age 80 yrs., died in Wilcox county on the 4th inst. He is the father of John and Wm. D. Finleyson. He moved from Bibb county to

Wilcox about four years ago. He was a native of North Carolina.

In the last issue of the Brunswick Appeal there was an obituary, beautifully written, of Charles W. Fullwood, eldest son of Rev. C. A. Fullwood, paster of the Hawkinsville Methodist Church in 1871. Charley died in Key West, Fla., on the 24th of July. His afflictions are finally at an end.

The "Hard Shells" Salem Church, better known as Buck Creek Church, belonging to the Primitive Baptist, and located a few miles from Hawkinsville, was dissolved on Thursday last. Elders John Churchwell and G. W. Scarborough officiated. The members will probably carry their letters to the new church just completed near Fountain's Mill...

Vol. 9, #35, Thursday Morning, 19 Aug.1875:

Mr. J. F. Hodges, formerly of Houston county, married Miss Mary Ingle in Texas on the 14th of July.

Mrs. Elizabeth O. Jelks, age 30 yrs., died suddenly in Atlanta, Ga., July 31st 1875. She is the wife of J. O. Jelks, Jr., of Hawkinsville, Ga... Our sister has been for ten years an exemplary member of the Baptist church of Hawkinsville, Ga... "Connie" A. Jelks, Quitman, Ga., August 1, 1875

Vol. 9, #36, Thursday Morning, 26 Aug.1875:

Friday evening last, Lumber City, Telfair county, was again the scene of a deadly affray. Samuel Varnadore and A. J. Wells fired several times at each other with pistols. One ball struck Varnadore in the breast and he staggered, but caught against the door. Wells then attempted to escape and ran through Mr. Wall's yard. Robert Powell, better known as "Babe" Powell, seized a double-barrel gun and fired one barrel at Wells as he was fleeing. Five shots took effect in the back and one in the head, killing him. The other barrel snapped...

Last Wednesday morning about seven o'clock a very loud explosion was heard between Eastman and Dubois... The news soon spread, however, and it became known that Devaughn's mill, eight miles above Eastman, on the railroad, had been blown up by an explosion from the boiler... Mr. John Briggs, the sawyer, was literally blown to pieces. John Coon, who was also an employee of the mill, was hurled head long through the air for a distance of nearly thirty yards, and mortally wounded... Both of the unfortunate men leave widows, and one of them with three children.

B. Y. Peavy died very suddenly near Eureka, Dooly county, on the 10th inst... who is a husband to the widow and a father to the fatherless.

Vol. 9, #37, Thursday Morning, 2 Sept.1875:

Mrs. Elizabeth Harrell, mother of Messrs. L. L., John W., Levi, William, and W. W. Harrell of Pulaski county, will be 81 years of age the 16th of the coming

October. She has 11 children now living, also 60 grandchildren and 60 great-grandchildren, making her descendents 131...

Vol. 9, #38, Thursday Morning, 9 Sept.1875:

William Fletcher Garrison, age 8 mos., died at the house of John F. McLeod on the morning of the 5th inst. He was the son of J. A. Garrison and grandson of John F. McLeod.

Mr. William Whitaker, a well-to-do farmer of Wilkinson County, committed suicide by shooting himself through the head with a rifle last Friday week. He had suffered for years from a cancer on his face.

David McCrimmon, a boy in his teens, died Tuesday night as the result of internal injuries suffered last Sunday evening near Jacksonville in this County. David fell from a swing some twenty feet to the ground. He never regained consciousness.

Bertha A. Horne, age 8 mos., died on the 2nd inst. She was the daughter of Jesse R. and Winnie Horne of Dooly County.

John Washington Carruthers, age 2 yrs, 7 mos., died Monday 6th inst. He was the son of T. L. and M. E. Carruthers of Hawkinsville.

Vol. 9, #39, Thursday Morning, 16 Sept.1875:

Mr. John C. Staley, a highly esteemed citizen of Houston, died on the 6th inst.

Mr. Henry Turner, age about 21 yrs., died on the 10th inst. He was from this county.

Mrs. Mary Sewell, age 33 yrs., died at her home in Dodge county on the 6th inst. She is the wife of John Sewell and mother of three children. She was a consistent and worthy member of Rehobeth Church...

Mrs. Belle Brown, wife of Calvin P. Brown, died in Hawkinsville on the 8th day of August, 1875. She was born in Macon, Ga., January 4, 1851. She joined the Hawkinsville Baptist Church in her early youth... A broken hearted husband and two little children are left to tread life's weary way alone; while many relatives and friends miss her here,...

Vol. 9, #40, Thursday Morning, 23 Sept.1875:

Mr. James Fletcher of Telfair married Miss Mattie Humphries of Dodge county on Thursday evening, 16th inst., at the residence of Mr. J. M. Daniel in Dodge county. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Phillip Reaves.

Charles Edwin Blue, age 11 mos., 21 days, died in Wilcox county on September 9, 1875. He is the son of F. A. and M. E. Blue.

Eva Gammage, age 6 yrs., 3 mos., 6 days, died in Dooly county, Ga., on the 13th inst after a short illness of two days. Eva was the daughter of Kissiah and L. D. Gammage.

Mrs. Mary Sapp, age 76 yrs., died on the 20th inst. She joined the Methodist church in Hawkinsville in 1845...

Vol. 9, #41, Thursday Morning, 30 Sept.1875:

A correspondent at Drayton, Dooly county, writes as follows: ...Mr. G. M. Sharpe died on the night of the 22nd inst., near this place with yellow fever...

Mr. John Bryant, age 60 yrs., and a wealthy planter of Houston county, died last Thursday morning...

Mrs. Parr, consort of the late Daniel W. Parr, died at Houston Factory on Monday last.

We learn from a private letter to a gentleman in this place that Neal Johnson and Bud Powell of Telfair county were shot by some unknown parties, ambuscaded in a cane patch, on Friday morning last while going from Scott Powell's residence to his horse lot. Johnson was killed instantly and Powell mortally wounded. No further particulars.

Mrs. Mattie A. Willis, age 22 yrs., 4 days, was called from life to eternity on Sept. 11, 1875. She was the consort of Mr. James Willis of this county. She was a native of Alabama where she married her husband on December 8, 1872, thus ending her blissful existence with her devoted husband in the short space of two years and nine months.

Jesse F. Morgan, age 48 yrs., 1 mo., was born August 8, 1827 and died at his residence near Vienna, Dooly county, Ga., September 7, 1875. In 1849 he married Miss Amarintha L. Hines, daughter of Col. C. T. Hines, of Washington county. He settled in Jefferson county as a farmer, which occupation he followed all his life and was considered one of the best. In 1854 he moved to Cherokee county, Alabama, and in August of that year his wife died, leaving him with three little boys, though the infant soon followed the mother, leaving Toombs and John. In October, 1855, he came to Washington county and married Miss E. S. Pope, daughter of Col. O. C. Pope, and returned to Alabama. In 1857 he united himself with the Baptist Church at Oak Grove, Cherokee county, Ala. At the opening of the war he entered service as a private in Cavalry. Served under Gen's Roddy and Wheeler, and surrendered in North Carolina with General Wheeler as Captain, which position he obtained by his meritorious conduct. At the close of the war, he returned to his family, which had moved to Lee county, Ga., where soon after he was made a Deacon of Antioch Church. In 1870 he moved to Spaulding, Macon county. In April his wife died, leaving two sons and two daughters. In (not given) he married Miss M. P. Rodgers, daughter of Judge Rodgers, of Vienna, who, with two little sons, and the other six children, together with many relatives an friends, are left to mourn his loss...

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Vol. 9, #42, Thursday Morning, 7 Oct.1875:

Mrs. Louisa C. King, age 70 yrs. and widow of John R. King, Esq., died in Perry on Thursday last. She was a descendant of Gen. Marion, the South Carolina patriot in the Revolutionary Way and was mother of Capt. Francis Marion King of Houston county.

Miss Sudie Studstill, daughter of G. T. and Sarah J. Studstill, died on Telfair county on the 29th inst.

Mr. D. J. Harrell, the telegraph operator at Cochran, was married on Tuesday night to Miss Victoria A. Weaver, daughter of Judge Allan W. and Nancy Armistead Weaver of Cochran. Rev. W. R. Steeley officiated. ...An elegant supper was prepared by the bride's sister, Mrs. Dr. Emma Virginia Morgan and there was a large attendence of the young people of Cochran and vicinity. (NOTE: The Weaver family lived in Atlanta during the Civil War and came to Cochran in 1869.)

Mrs. Nancy Adkins, age upward of 80 yrs., died at the residence of her grandson, Mr. James M. Bussel, in Irwin county on the 26th of September from an attack of paralysis.

Vol. 9, #43, Thursday Morning, 14 Oct.1875:

Mr. Julius A. Bagby, of Hawkinsville, was married to Miss Cordelia Floyd at the residence of the bride's uncle, Dr. Hardwick, in Americus, on Wednesday morning, 6th inst....

Mr. Irvin J. Willis, an old and highly respected citizen of this county, died at his home on the 9th day of September. He was born January 13th, 1813 and was married August 10th, 1837.

Houston Baptist Association--The Meeting at Harmony Church (article about 12" long).

Messrs. Needam W. Jelks and Charles A. Love, well known young men of Hawkinsville, will leave in a few days for Lake Jesup, Fla., where they will locate. We regret to lose them as citizens...

Vol. 9, #44, Thursday Morning, 21 Oct.1875:

Mrs. Means, the estimable wife of Dr. M. H. Means of Hickory Grove, Houston county, died suddenly from heart disease on Wednesday morning of last week.

Mr. William H. Foy, age about 45 yrs., died at his home near Hawkinsville on Friday evening last. He was well known as one of the oldest engineers on the Macon and Brunswick Railroad... The remains were brought down on the train to the depot on Sunday afternoon and interred in Orange Hill Cemetery in the presence of a large number of people.

Vol. 9, #45, Thursday Morning, 28 Oct.1875:

Messrs Thomas C. Fletcher and W. T. Barron, who left Telfair county for Texas last winter, returned home last week.

Col. Chas T. Lathrop of Hawkinsville married Miss Lizzie Robinson of Norwalk, Conn., on the 18th inst. The Colonel and his charming bride arrived in Hawkinsville on Thursday last...

Mr. B. O. Tomberlin and Miss Elizabeth Brown were married at the residence of Mrs. J. L. Wilcox in Wilcox county on the 20th inst.

Vol. 9, #46, Thursday Morning, 4 Nov.1875:

Mr. Thomas Gordon, age nearly 70 yrs., and a citizen of Dooly county since 1856, died at his home in that county on Wednesday of last week. His disease was dropsy of the heart,...

Mr. John Keen, age 73 yrs. and an old citizen of this county, died on the 23d of October. He moved from North Carolina to Laruens county, in this State, in 1816, thence to Houston county in 1824. For the last 23 years, he has been a citizen of Pulaski county.

Col. Geo. W. Jordan has just handed us a note from Mr. B. L. Jordan giving the brief particulars of a sad accident that occurred late yesterday (Tuesday) evening at Longstreet, in this county. The unfortunate victim was Miss Floretta Mason, who was thrown from a horse and instantly killed three hundred yards from the family residence...

Mr. Brown Wimberly of Houston county married Julia Byrom of Byromville, Dooly county, on the 27th ult. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. R. Felder at the residence of the bride's mother.

Vol. 9, #47, Thursday Morning, 11 Nov.1875:

Mr. D. D. Johnson, of Atlanta, and General Agent of the Georgia Home Insurance Company of Columbus, Ga., was found dead in his bed at the hotel in Perry this morning. Mr. Johnson arrived in Perry on Saturday morning in an intoxicated state, but seemingly good health... Mr. Johnson was a man about 35 years old and from his general bearings and appearance was of a first class family. From a ring which he wore on his left hand it is supposed that he was a thirty-first degree Mason.

Mr. Robert Walker, age 23 yrs., died at his home on Longstreet in this county on Tuesday night last.

Mrs. Rebecca J. Griffin, age about 50 yrs., 5 mos. and daughter of Lawson Bryant and wife of Henry H. Griffin, died in Wilcox county, Georgia, September, 1875. Sister Griffin embraced religion and joined the church in early life. She ever lived, for more than 23 years, to adorn the doctrine of Christ Jesus

our Lord,... She was an affectionate wife, a kind and loving mother, and a good neighbor.

Wm. H. Rogers

Vol. 9, #48, Thursday Morning, 18 Nov.1875:

Thomas Duffie, one of the early settlers of Houston county, was a gallant soldier of the Revolutionary War. He was near Gen. LaFayette when he was wounded at Brandywine, and met that distinguished officer at Millegeville many years after the war when he was making a tour of the country whose freedom he had so largely contributed to secure. The General recognized him and gave him a cordial embrace. He always wore the Continental costume and carried a fine flag on the fourth of July celebration. William Wellborn, some of whose descendants now live in Houston county, kept a hotel in Perry in 1824. He was distinguished for his tact and bravery, won many laurels in the Creek War, and was promoted to the rank of Brigadier General. Wellborn's Mills village is named in honor of him. Capt. John M. Allen, with a company, left this county in 1835 and engaged in the Seminole War in Florida. A calvary company also left the county in 1836 to serve a three month term against the Indians on the Cattahoochee River, with Capt. Hugh L. Dennard in command, Hall Ralleigh was 1st, Merideth Joiner, 2nd, and James Owens, 3rd, Lieutenants, while James Johnson was Ordly. Perry Journal.

We are informed of a homicide that was committed in the Second District of Dooly county a few days ago. Henry Sauls and a young man by the name of Rogers attacked Thomas Downing and beat him to death. Liquor was at the bottom of the killing. Sauls and Rogers fled from the county.

The Eastman Times of last week mentions the killing of a man by the name of E. Butterworth by Sam Dukes at Station Fourteen, Dodge county. Butterworth leaves a wife and several helpless children. Dukes fled after the killing.

Mrs. Rebecca Steel, age 55 yrs., died in Lumber City on October 9, 1875. She joined the M. E. Church when young... She has left eight affectionate children along with a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn her death.

Verna Marion Sirmons, age 16 mos., 10 days, died at Cochran, Ga., on November 2, 1875. She is survived by her parents, L. and F. M. Sirmons.

Vol. 9, #49, Thursday Morning, 25 Nov.1875:

Column local news, from town and country column dated Hawkinsville, Nov.18, 1875:

Mrs. S. J. Martin, an estimable lady and kind neighbor, died at her residence in this county Thursday last.

Mr. Henry Mims married Miss Ellen Anderson on the 29th inst. at the residence of the bride's father. Both are from Telfair county, Ga.

Under name column: Mr. John W. Cox, the corner of Dooly county, died at his home near Gum Creek on Friday last. The remains were interred in the family cemetery, near Drayton, on Saturday. Mr. Cox was regarded by his neighbors and acquaintances as a good and useful citizen and all will regret to hear of his death.

2nd column: Our community was deeply pained to learn on Sunday morning last of the death of Miss Annie Oliver, eldest daugher of the late Thomas W. Oliver. The sad event was unexpected by but few, for death had lingered upon the threshhold many days. Miss Annie was one of the most beautiful and amiable young ladies of our town and the immense congregation that assembled in the Baptist Church on Sunday afternoon to hear the funeral by Rev. Geo. R. McCall attested the kind affection entertained by our citizens for the deceased. ...The remains were conveyed to Orange Grove Cemetery and buried beside the graves of her father and sister, who, within a very brief period, had preceded each other.

We are requested by Rev. M.(Moses) N. McCall to say that he wishes those whom he is indebted to make out their accounts and present them. ...We regret to learn that Mr. McCall has decided to return to his old home in Screven county...

Tribute of Respect: Longstreet Grange, No. 19, P. of H., Longstreet, Nov. 20, 1875. At a regular meeting of Longstreet Grange, this day held, a committee were appointed to express the heartfelt sorrow of this Grange at the sad bereavement we have sustained in the loss of our worthy brother, Robt. L. Walker, who died at Longstreet on the 9th inst., in the twenty-third year of his age...

Vol. 9, #50, Thursday Morning, 2 Dec.1875:

Col. E. W. Croker died at Fort Valley last week after three weeks' illness of typhoid fever. He was Solictor General of the Ocmulgee Circuit for four years.

Dr. Bob Ridley married Miss Emma Lela Hill, daughter of Hon. B. H. Hill, at Atlanta last Tuesday evening week.

Col. Levi Ezell, one of the oldest and most esteemed citizens of Houston county, died last week.

Dr. M. H. Means of Houston county married Miss Sallie Dunwoody on the 24th of November.

Mr. Ab Halton, age about 65 yrs., died of dropsy of the heart at his home near Jacksonville, Telfair county, on Friday last...

Vol. 9, #51, Thursday Morning, 9 Dec.1875:

Rev. George R. McCall, pastor of the Baptist Church in Hawkinsville, in a

letter to the Christian Index, in speaking of a family gathering at the home of his father, Rev. M. (Moses) N. McCall of Screven county, Ga., says: "His family may be classed among the long-lived. He has a brother nearly eighty-two and an aunt, the honored mother of Hon. A. R. Wright of Roma, Ga., who must not be far from her hundredth year, while one of his grandfathers lived to the astonishing age of one hundred and twenty-seven years. And, what is still more wonderful; this aged man married after he had attained his hundredth year, became the father of three children, and lived to see the youngest vote. This youngest son is alive, and says that if his eldest brother were living he would be over one hundred and fifty years old."

Judge Scarborough died at St. Paul, Minnesota, about ten days ago. He was well known to the people of Hawkinsville and surrounding country as an able lawyer, a good man, and an impartial Judge while presiding on the bench. He was a nephew of Gen. Eli Warren, of Perry, and at one time a partner in the business of law.

Mr. William Glover, a popular citizen of Twiggs county and brother-in-law of Col. Geo. W. Jordan of Pulaski, died of pneumonia a few days ago.

Vol. 9, #52, Thursday Morning, 16 Dec.1875:

Mr. Robt. Watson married Miss Mary Massengale, daughter of Wm. Massengale of Dooly, at the residence of the bride's father on the eveing of the 9th inst. Rev. L. Joiner performed the ceremony.

Burned to Death in a Slump Hole: A most awful castastrophe occurred on Wednesday night of last week in Dooly county, near the line of Worth. The unfortunate victim was Elder Samuel Wright Story, a Primitive Baptist...

Mr. Abram B. Paul, a most highly esteemed and worthy citizen of Dooly county, died very suddenly of heart disease on the night of the 9th inst... Mr. Paul was about sixty years of age, and was an exemplary Christian. He was connected with the Methodist Church South for a period of twenty-five years and was Worshipful Master of Drayton Lodge of F. & A. M. for many consecutive terms. His burial took place at the family cemetery near Drayton, with Masonic ceremonies, Mr. James Deese officiating. Mr. Paul was a native of North Caroline born in Roberson county November 22, 1875 (error in print), moved to Georgia in 1830 and was married to Sarah Perry in 1835.

Vol. 10, #1, Thursday Morning, 6 Jan.1876:

Joel James Madison Van Buren Williams, age 5 yrs., died of liver disease at the home of his father, Joel M. Williams, in Pulaski county on the 30th of December. (Joel M. listed as 11 yrs. old 1850 Dooly Census; he was no doubt son of Joel and Catherine Williams.)

Mr. John W. McNeill, Deputy Sherriff, was married to Miss Laura Hendley, daugher of the late Hon. John A. Hendley, at the residence of the bride's mother, in the evening of the 23 ult...

Vol. 10, #2, Thursday Morning, 13 Jan.1876:

Capt. Thomas Hart, an aged citizen of Laurens county, died suddenly on 28th of December.

This column dated Jan. 6, 1876: Mr. Robt. J. Taylor married Miss Fannie Dillard at the residence of Mr. James L. Lampkin on the evening of the 5th inst. Rev. Moses N. McCall performed the ceremony. Both are from Hawkinsville.

Mr. Willie R. Taylor married Miss Hattie McCall at the residence of Rev. Geo. R. McCall on the evening of the 6th inst. The ceremony was conducted by the father of the bride...

Vol. 10, #3, Thursday Morning, 20 Jan.1876:

Mr. Barney Mannheim married Miss Mattie Burch on Thursday evening, 13th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, Rev. E. A. Burch. Judge John Henry performed the ceremony. Both are from Hawkinsville.

Vol. 10, #4, Thursday Morning, 27 Jan.1876:

Mrs. Allie Taylor, wife of John R. Taylor of Longstreet, Pulaski county, died on Tuesday, 18th inst. Just a week previous to her death, her little boy, aged two years, died.

Mr. D. B. Leonard of Vienna, Dooly county, was married to Miss Eva L. Lewis, daugher of Mr. John F. Lewis of Montezuma on the evening of the 19th inst. The ceremony was performed at the residence of the bride's father by Rev. F. K. Lewis.

Mr. G. L. Bridges, a citizen of this county, died at his home on the east side of the river on Sunday morning last. During the early part of last year, Mr. Bridges was a partner of Mr. Thos. L. Carruthers in the dry goods and grocery business in this place. The remains were buried in Orange Grove Cemetery on Monday afternoon last by Anderson Lodge, I.O.O.F. of which the deceased was a worthy member.

Vol. 10, #5, Thursday Morning, 3 Feb.1876:

Mr. R. F. Everett died in Twiggs county on the 12th ult., of lockjaw...

William Self, the young man shot in Telfair county a few days ago, died last week. It will be recollected that a load of buck shot took effect in his thigh. Reuben Cummings, the young man who did the shooting, has left the county. (NOTE: Reference Vol 10., #4: Another Man Shot, this occurred near Temperance--stated one day last week. This was Jan. 27 issue.)

Mr. Isaac H. Mooreland, a very old citizen of Houston county, died at his home in Hayneville on Monday morning last.

How Cochran Received Its Name. A few years ago, a stout, curly haired, deep browed young lawyer opened an office in the good old village of Irwinton, Ga., for the practice of law. By dint of application to business; a dog determination in whatever he undertook to accomplish; by an unswerving fidelity to friends, and an uncompromising opposition to enemies; aided by more of the genius of foresight than is common to most men; Arthur E. Cochran won his way, first to a lucrative practice, next to the championship of the democratic part of his own county, and to a seat in the Legislature; this latter position opened the way to a Judgeship; and his ambitious mind worked out successfully the project of the completion of the Macon & B. Road. For this he was honored in the naming of the enterprising town of Cochran.

Irwinton Southerner.

Vol. 10, #6, Thursday Morning, 10 Feb.1876:

Little Johnny Pate, age a little over 2 yrs. and youngest sone of Maj. John H. Pate, died on Sunday night last. The remains were buried in Orange Grove Cemetery on Monday afternoon.

From Perry Journal. The following is a list of the old men of Houston county: Rev. Jas. Dunwoody is 87 years of age.

D. W. Buff, 86	B. Grav, 84	J. Bason, 80
H. C. Calhoun, 80	Thos. Dawkin, 80	Rev. Sam'l Anthony, 70
John Davidson, 80	F. M. Jobson, 78	Jos. Cooper, 70
J. D. Davis, 78	S. Castelowe, 77	Jacob Hampton, 70
H. L. Dennard, 75	J. D. Lamar, 75	Dan'l Adams, 70
James Smith, 75	S. D. Bolton, 75	W. L. Saunders, 70
David Walker, 75	G. T. Melvin, 75	W. Roberson, 70
Durham Bowen, 75	Eli Warren, 74	Geo. English, 70
A. Nelson, 73	C. McCoy, 70	_____ Vinson, 70
B. Johnson, 73	J. Tooke, 73	Rev. G. W. Persons, 70
G. T. Leaptrot, 70	Jerry Murray, 70	S. D. Henderson, 74
Patrick Smith, 70	J. Garrin, 70	

Vol. 10, #7, Thursday Morning, 17 Feb.1876:

Mr. James O. Jelks, Jr., was married to Miss Mollie Way, the accomplished daugher of Dr. E. F. Way, on Wednesday morning, the 9th inst. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Geo. R. McCall at the residence of the bride's father,...

Rev. Richard Smith, worthy citizen and Christian minister, died at his home near Mt. Carmel Church on Monday, 7th inst. He was about 80 years of age and had been a minister of the Missionary Baptist Church for 50 years. The remains were interred at the family burial ground on Tuesday evening by the Masons of Cochran and Laurens Hill lodges.

Mrs. Matilda Lewis Wood, wife of Major D. H. Wood and daughter of the late Thos. Fielding Lewis of Albemarle county, Va., and mother of H. G. Wood of Hawkinsville, Ga., died on the 1st instant at Ossian Hall, Fairfax county, Va....

Vol. 10, #8, Thursday Morning, 24 Feb.1876:

Gen. H. D. Clayton, a distinguished brigade commander in the Confederate army, but at the present the presiding Judge of a circuit in Alabama, was on a visit to Hawkinsville last week. Pulaski has the honor of being the birthplace of Gen. Clayton, and many of his old friends and comrades in arm were pleased to greet him on his visit to his old home. He is a relative of our old fellow citizen, Mr. Wash Carruthers. Dr. Jas. A. Hart, who was a lieutenant in Gen. C's brigade, can tell a couple of fine anecdotes as to the manner in which he broke up his hospital and prevented any desertion from his command.

Mrs. Eastman, age 62 yrs. and the estimable wife of Mr. W. P. Eastman, died at their residence in Eastman, Ga., on Tuesday, the 15th inst....

Jesse Cooper, age 69 yrs., died in Perry, Houston county, on Tuesday, 15th inst.; and Mr. John Cox, son of D. M. Cox, of the same place, died of consumption in Madison, Ga., also on the 15th.

Vol. 10, #9, Thursday Morning, 2 Mar.176:

Mr. Benjamin Stevens, who lives near Jeffersonville, Twiggs County, while out hunting accidently shot and killed himself on last Friday morning, the 18th inst.... His death was almost immediate. He leaves a wife and two small children and innumerable friends to mourn his loss. Irwinton Southerner.

Mrs. Johnson, wife of Dr. Herschel V. Johnson, died at the Scarborough House in this place on Tuesday afternoon after a very brief illness. The remains were conveyed by the train to Macon this (Wednesday) morning for interment.

A. J. Cone, Esq., formerly of Hawkinsville has moved to Florida and located on Lake Jessup.... Mr. J. M. Jones, who, about the first of the year, left here for the same place....

Vol. 10, #10, Thursday Morning, 9 Mar.1876:

Mr. L. Deffnall, a worthy citizen and good farmer, died on Monday last of pneumonia.

The Houston Home Journal announces the death of James G. Bason, an excellent citizen. Age 37 years.

Mr. Thomas Dorminey and Miss Sarah A. Mixon, daughter of Edward I. Mixon, of Dooly County, were married at the home of the bride's father by Henry Barton on 24 February 1876.

Tribute of Respect, Laurens Hill Lodge, No. 185, F.& A.M., Laurens Hill, Georgia, March 4, 1876.... Richard Smith, who departed this life at his residence in Pulaski County on the morning of 7 February last, at the ripe age of 74 years, 9 months and 37 days....

Vol. 10, #11, Thursday Morning, 16 Mar.1876:

Tribute of Respect, Cochran Grange, No. 647, Cochran, Georgia, 15 Jan.1876. ... Willis G. Allen, who died at his home on 16 Dec.1875, age 39 years and 3 months.

Mr. Daniel Lamar McLeod, of Wilcox County, died of consumption on the morning of 14th inst., age 28 years, 3 months and 21 days.

Mrs. Brown, wife of Loam Brown, of Pulaski County, died on 14th inst.

Vol. 10, #12, Thursday Morning, 23 Mar.1876:

Mrs. Davis, wife of Mr. Samuel Davis, of this county, died a few days ago of pneumonia.

Married by Rev. W. M. C. Conley, on 15th isnt., at residence of the bride's father, Col. Peter Harris Coffee, Sr. of Dodge County, Mr. T. W. Weeks, of Telfair County, to Miss Sarah E. Coffee.

Sad and fatal accidentd: Mrs. Willis, wife of Mr. Oliver Willis, of this county, gave morphine in place of quinine to her little boy one day last week.... Mr. James Delamar, her brother-in-law handed her the morphine, thinking it was quinine.

The Eastman Times says Mr. William L. Harrell, son of Mr. Asa Harrell, of Dodge County, was drowned in Harrell's Mill Creek on Friday morning, March 10th ...

Vol. 10, #13, Thursday Morning, 30 Mar.1876:

Mr. Daniel Dossey, one of the oldest citizens of Crawford County, says the Fort Valley Mirrow, died at his residence in that county on Wednesday, March 15th at three o'clock A.M. He was born on the 12th day of March, 1786, arriving at the ripe age of ninety years and three days.

Mrs. John Coley, of Pulaski County, died on the morning of the 28th inst., aged about 67 years.

Mrs. Polly Brown, of Chauncey, Dodge County, died on the 25th inst., aged about 80 years.

Mrs. Catherine Lucas, wife of Gilbert Lucas, of Telfair County, died on the 25th inst.

Married at the residence of the bridge's father by Mitchel Akins, on the 23d of March 1876, Mr. G. W. Handley and Miss Isabel Hunter. All of Wilcox County.

Laura Elmira, aged precisely two years and infant daughter of Mr. O. R. and Mrs. Fannie Willis, died in Pulaski County, 13 Mar.1876....

Vol. 10, #14, Thursday Morning, 6 Apr.1876:

Mr. William J. Fountain, a worthy and estimable citizen of Pulaski County, died at his home on Monday morning last of pneumonia. The remains were interred at the Coney Grave Yard, on Cedar Creek, by Mount Hope Lodge of F.P.A.M. on Tuesday afternoon. The funeral procession was one of the largest ever witnessed in the county. The deceased leaves a very large family and many friends to morn his death.

Mr. M. G. Wilcox, of Temperance, Telfair County, died on the 27th ult., of pneumonia. He was an old and excellent citizen, and his death is lamented by a very large circle.

Vol. 10, #15, Thursday Morning, 13 Apr.1876:

Married on Sunday, March 16th, at the residence of D. W. H. Pilcher, by Bishop G. F. Pierce, Mr. Henry K. Griffin of Wilcox County, to Mrs. Ellen Webber, of Warren County, Ga.

Married at the residence of the bride, in Hawkinsville, by Rev. George R. McCall, on the morning of the 6th inst., Mr. W. A. Jeter, of Houston County, and Mrs. S. C. Love. No cards.

Mr. Henry Tripp, a very worthy and industrious young man, died at the home of his mother in Pulaski County on the 30th of March 1876. He was in his twenty-first or twenty-second year, and recently married, and was just entering on the duties of a good citizen. His illiness was very brief, lasting only one day and two nights.

Married at the residence of the bride's father, by Eld. R. M. Owen, on January 5th, Mr. James M. Devane, of Brooks County and Miss Sarah F. Forehand, of Dooly County.

Married in Dooly County on the 27th of January, by Eld. R. M. Owen, Mr. Thomas A. Adkins and Miss Josephine Butler. All of Dooly County.

Married on the 5th of April, by Eld. R. M. Owen, Mr. Warren B. Hamilton and Miss Mary Fullington. All of Dooly County.

In Memoriam ... At his residence in Pulaski County, Ga, on the 3rd inst., a loving brother, William Jenks Fountain, calmly passed from earth to the climes of Glory ... Born in 1828, he lived and died near the place of his birth. At the age of 28 he was converted and united with the Baptist Church at Antioch in this county ... As a brother, husband, father and son, the bereaved and heart-broken ones left behind can alone describe him. I will only say there never was one more kind and devoted. He leaves a heart-broken wife, several little children, an aged mother, an only sister and two brothers, besides a large circle of friends to mourn his loss... His devoted sister, Hawkinsville, April 1876.

Vol. 10, #16, Thursday Morning, 20 Apr.1876:

Dr. Philip Cook Woodson, a native of Houston County, died at the residence of Mrs. S. E. Miller, Leon County, FL, on Tuesday, the 4th inst.

Mr. Elisha Coleman, an old citizen of Irwin County, dropped dead in his wagon while returning home from Abbeville on day last week.

Mrs. Bowen, wife of Mr. Durham Bowen, died near Henderson, Houston County, on the 10th inst.

Capt. Jim Robinson, the well known Kentucky horse and mule trader, died in Perry, Houston County, on Friday morning last, after an illness of several days. For awhile he suffered from paralysis. His son arrived from Kentucky a few days before the death of his father, and returned with the remains to Kentucky.

Vol. 10, #17, Thursday Morning, 27 Apr.1876:

Tribute of Respect. At a regular meeting of Longstreet Grange, #19, held April 15th, a committee of four was appointed to draft resolutions expressive of our grief at the loss of our sister, Mrs. M. C. Coley, who died at her home in Pulaski County on the night of March 28th, in the sixty-seventh year of her age... For three years sister Coley had been a member of Longstreet Grange.

Mr. Kellam Graham, of Laurens County, died on the 9th inst.

Vol. 10, #18, Thursday Morning, 4 May 1876:

Singular Death of a Good Old Man: Mr. Elisha Coleman, an estimable citizen of Irwin County, died very suddenly on the evening of the 13th inst., while riding along in his jersey wagon. The old man had been on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. J. H. Mann, in Abbeville, arriving there on Tuesday night and seemed to be in as good health as he ever was. ...Mr. Coleman had been an exemplary member of the Baptist Church for more than twenty-five years. He was a Mason and an honorable man, a kind and affectionate father and husband. ...The deceased was about 65 years of age; was born in Burke County and had lived in Emanuel, Pulaski and Wilcox Counties before he moved to Irwin. Abbeville, Ga., April 19th, 1876. (See also Vol. 10, #16)

Tribute of Respect, Mount Hope Lodge, #9, F. & A. M., Hawkinsville, April 28, 1876: Again has our Supreme Grand Master above summoned from our Croft one of our number. Brother William J. Fountain was called from his labor on earth on the 3rd day of April, 1876. (See also Vol. 10, #14 and Vol 10, #15)

Obituary: Dr. T. D. L. Ryan was born in Warren County, Ga., October 24, 1823; died at his residence on Longstreet, Pulaski County, Ga., April 27, 1876, and was buried in Orange Hill Cemetery, Hawkinsville, Ga. He was a graduate of Augusta Medical College, and for more than a quarter of a century his life has been devoted to the alleviation of suffering in this and surrounding

community. O. R. M. *Miss Nora Ryan died April, 1869.

Dr. Thomas D. L. Ryan, a citizen and physician of Pulaski County for nearly thirty years past, died at his plantation on the east side of the river on Thursday, April 27th. The deceased, at the time of death, was in his fifty-third year. He died of liver disease. The remains were interred in Orange Hill Cemetery on Friday afternoon following the death. (Note: Cemetery marker states birth October 24, 1818 and death 27 Apr, 1875. Marker no doubt in error)

Vol. 10, #19, Thursday Morning, 11 May 1876:

Little Rosa, infant daughter of Prof. William J. and Mrs. Anne Harvard, died of pneumonia at their residence on Pine Level on the evening of the 3rd inst. The remains were conveyed to the family burial ground near Byromville, Dooly County, and placed beside those of its grandparents.

Mr. John S. Byrom, of Byromville, Dooly County, and Mrs. Evaline White of Montezuma, were married on the 3rd instant.

Vol. 10, #20, Thursday Morning, 18 May 1876:

Died at their residence in Dodge County, Georgia, on the morning of the 6th inst., Florence Missouri, second daughter of Mr. & Mrs. S. W. Burch. The subject of this demise was a beautiful and lovely girl in her sixteenth year; ...Dodge County, Ga., May 7, 1876.

Vol. 10, #21, Thursday Morning, 25 May 1876:

On the evening of the 18th inst., at the residence of the bride's father near Temperance, Telfair County, Mr. John Boney was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Miss Rebecca Wilcox. Rev. James Williamson, officiating. The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. John Wilcox, of Telfair. ...The crowd gathered next day in double force at Mr. Stephen Boney's, the father of the groom,...

Mr. James Franklin Bohannon, of Dodge County, died on Saturday afternoon last, aged about thirty-five years. The deceased was a member of Midway Baptist Church and also the Grange at Midway. A widow and five children are left to mourn his death. The remains were buried on Monday morning...

Mr. Henry Paulk, of Coffee County, living about twelve miles from Alapaha, was bitten last Saturday evening by a rattlesnake, from which he died Sunday morning at 3 O'clock. ...He was carried to Mr. Arche Gaskins, his brother-in-law, and his wife and children sent for, which was but a mile distant. ...Alapaha News.

Obituary: Little Henry Mannan Fuguay, son of Henry and Josey Fuguay, of Cochran, died of inflammation of the stomach on the evening of the 13th instant, aged 1 year, 1 month and five days. W. W. T.

In Memoriam: Miss. Mary A. Stewart, third daughter of Charles H. and Margaret Stewart, died at her father's residence in Telfair County, Ga., April 24, 1876... W. S.

Vol. 10, #22, Thursday Morning, 7 Jun.1876:

A dispatch was received in Hawkinsville on the 17th of May, by Mr. D. G. Fleming, stating that his uncle, Pulaski Fleming, died in Atlanta on that morning. Letters since received confirm the sad tidings by telegraph. Mr. Fleming was raised in our county, and was named after Count Pulaski, the brave Polander who was killed in front of Savannah, Ga., during the revolutionary war. Mr. Fleming resided for a long while in Dooly County, but returned to Pulaski a few years prior to the late war. In 1868 he moved to Cobb County, where he lived until about the year 1873, when he engaged in business in Atlanta, where he remained until his death. He was a brother of Messrs. James and Ferdinand Fleming and Mrs. Thully Williamson, all now living in our county. The deceased was a Deacon of the Baptist Church and a member of the Masonic fraternity. He was about sixty-two years of age.

Tribute of Respect: McRae Lodge, #100, F. & A. M., McRae, Ga., May 29, 1876. ...James S. Kinchen (no dates) ...Married and had children.

The Houston (Perry) Home Journal, of last week, contained the following item: We are pained to learn that Mr. Leroy Napier lost his little son from an attack of croup day before yesterday. He was about five years old...

The Irwinton Southerner report the deaths of Isham G. Andrews and Elias Jones, two old and good citizens of Twiggs.

Vol. 10, #23, Thursday Morning, 8 Jun.1876:

We clip the following item from the Houston Home Journal (Perry, Ga) of the 2nd instant: A remarkable marriage took place on Sunday, the 7th of May, at Cold Neck in Bibb County. John Johnson, age 77, was married to Rachel Bartlett, age 53, the officiating minister being Rev. A. King, an estimable Primitive Baptist preacher of Houston County, whose age is 72 years...

Died at Cochran, Ga., May 22nd 1876, Lucius, infant son of Ella W. and William C. Harvard, age five months and five days...

Miss Addie Smith, daughter of Dr. H. J. Smith, of Blackshear, Ga., was drowned in the Satilla River on the 23rd of May, under the most melancholy circumstances. We are permitted to copy in the Dispatch the following extracts from a private letter written by and elder sister of the drowned lady to her cousin, Mrs. Agnes Collins, daughter of Mr. John F. McLeod, of Wilcox County...

Vol. 10, #24, Thursday Morning, 15 Jun.1876:

Mr. Thomas W. Brown, of Dooly County, was married to Miss Bettie Perkins, of

Russell County, Ala., on the 1st instant.

Mr. J. F. Hinson, of Appling County, was married on the 28th ult., to Miss Nancy Lott, daughter of D. Lott, of Coffee County.

Married, at the residence of Mr. Richard Francis, by Mr. James Barrs, on the 5th inst., Mr. Peter Reed to Mrs. Nancy Price, all of Gum Swamp, Pulaski County, Ga.

Scarcely had we heralded the tiding of the death of Mr. Pulaski Fleming, when letters were received announcing the severe illness of his son-in-law, Mr. David S. Kellam. His death, therefore was not unexpected, when on Friday last, Mr. D. G. Fleming received a telegram from Atlanta conveying the intelligence that Mr. Kellam has passed away. ...Mr. Kellam was born and raised in Dooly County and was about forty-two years old. In early manhood he married the daughter of Mr. Fleming. His devoted wife and four children, two sons and two daughters, survive him. He was a cousin to Russell Kellam, Sheriff of Dooly County.

Vol. 10, #25, Thursday Morning, 22 Jun.1876:

Prof. Sidney Lewis, of Perry Male Academy, was married to Miss Myra Mimms, of Perry, Houston County, on the 14th inst.

Mrs. Elizabeth Turner, wife of Mr. James S. Turner, and daughter of the late James M. Wilcox, died in Levi County, Fla., on the 14th inst. The deceased was a sister of Mrs. Judge Watson of Hawkinsville.

Our townsman and merchant, Mr. S. J. Epstein, was married in Savannah on Wednesday evening, 14th inst., at 5 O'clock P.M., to Miss Adeline Reeser. The ceremony was performed at the residence of the bride's father by Rev. Mr. Harris, of Savannah...

Died on the 10th inst., little Ida Lee Lock, daughter of Mr. W. B. & Mrs. Martha Lock, of Dooly County. ...Her age was eight years, seven months and nineteen days.

Mrs. Eliza Smith, aged seventy-eight years, died in Wilkinson County a few days ago.

Obituary: Mrs. Narcissa Jane Bazemore, daughter of Stephen and Jane Woodward, died at the residence of her father in Dooly County, Ga., May 17, 1876, aged 33 years, 2 months and 12 days. She was born March 5, 1843 in Bibb County, Ga. ...She was married to Mr. James C. Bazemore, of Bibb County, Ga. ...in 1868 death invaded the happy household, and little Tommie, an "idol of his mother and pride of his father," was wafted to the Spirit Land, and shortly thereafter, on March 5th, 1872, the husband and father, too was summoned to his heavenly home, leaving only the mother and little Sarah and Jimmie to bear the shock and pangs of their sad bereavement. ...Friend.

Mr. Henry Noels died very suddenly at his home near Reynolds, Houston County, on the 7th instant. The Fort Valley Mirror says the evening before his death he walked over his farm. (Note: Reynolds, is in Taylor County, not Houston)

Vol. 10, #26, Thursday Morning, 29 Jun.1876:

Col. J. D. Havis, one of the oldest and best men of Houston County, died at his home in Perry on the 19th inst.

Samuel R. Methvin, and old and highly esteemed citizen of Twiggs County, died on the 3rd inst.

Tribute: Miss C. J. McAllister, a member of Midway Grange, died on the 6th of May, in her thirty-fifth year...

The Oglethorpe Echo gives the following account of a very remarkable family: Mr. Randall Tiller, living in Goose Pond district, in Oglethorpe County, died May 31, age 92 years. He never called a physician to him in his life, and leaves five children living and over fifty grandchildren. Mr. Tiller leaves four brothers; Burrell, William, Elijah and Jack; and one sister, Mrs. Jane Gholstein; living, all old people and having a large number of descendants. Mr. Burrell Tiller, (father of Captain J. H. Tiller), is aged 82, has four children living and seventeen grandchildren. Mr. William Tiller is between 85 and 90, has three children living, (seven dead), and about 45 grandchildren. Mr. Jack Tiller, living in Atlanta, is about seventy years of age. Mrs. Jane Gholstein, the sister, is about eighty years of age, has four living children, and at least thirty grandchildren.

Vol. 10, #26, Thursday Morning, 6 Jul.1876:

This paper contained only one page of legal ads because of the 4th of July celebration.

Vol. 10, #27, Thursday Morning, 17 Jul.1876:

Died in Pulaski County, on the 4th inst., Mrs. Nancy Dykes, wife of B. B. Dykes, aged 62 years.

Died near Hawkinsville, on the 15th ultimo, little Clayton Leith Carruthers, son of Mrs. Joe Carruthers, aged about 5 years...

Vol. 10, #28, Thursday Morning, 20 Jul.1876:

A letter from Mr. W. T. Barron, formerly a citizen of Temperance, Telfair County, Ga., but now of Willis, Texas. (Gives crop report)

Married, at the residence of Mr. Luke Sapp, Sr., by Rev. Robert E. Mills, on Tuesday, 11th inst., Mr. David Handley to Miss Winnie Sapp.

Mr. L. A. L. Lamkin writes us from Rancho Gonzales County, Texas, under date of July 7th as follows: (Subscription and kind words of the Dispatch, in same for eitht years, etc...)

Obituary: Died at the residence of her son-in-law, J. E. Floyd, in Pulaski County, on the 19th of June, Mrs. Elephair Scarborough, wife of Aden Scarborough, deceased, at the ripe old age of 79 years, 5 months, and 13 days, leaving a host of friends and relatives to mourn her loss. H.

Obituary: Departed this life on the 4th inst., at her residence in Pulaski County, Mrs. Nancy Dykes in the sixty-second year of her age. She was born and raised in Pulaski County, and married in Twiggs County to B. B. Dykes on the 17th day of July 1831, by whom she had eleven children, two of whom died young, five grown up children have gone before her, all dying professing faith atoning blood of christ. She made a profession of religion by openly professing Christ in 1843, and was baptised into Mount Horeb Church by that good and great man, Rev. C. D. Mallory. She and her husband were in the constitution of the Evergreen Church, where her membership remained till her death. Eight out of the nine children raised by her husband and self were members of the same church with the parents. Sister Dykes leaves two sons and two daughters heads of families, a husband and other relatives to mourn her loss. ...An old Friend. (See also Vol. 10, #27 for death announcement)

Vol. 10, #29, Thursday Morning, 27 Jul.1876:

From a private letter we regret to hear of the death of Mr. John McLean, a popular and much esteemed citizen of Telfair County. Mr. McLean, at the time of his death, was the Treasurer of his county. He had been in declining health for a long period.

Mr. Joel M. Cooper, age about seventy-four years, died at his home on Cedar Creek on Sunday, 16th inst., from an attack of appoplexy. He had started to town on Tuesday, the 11th inst., and while stopping a few minutes at the house of Elder John Churchwell, was suddenly stricken.

Vol. 10, #30, Thursday Morning, 3 Aug.1876:

Mrs. Caroline Louisa Blackshear died in Macon last week at the age of seventy years. She was the widow of James Blackshear, Esq., and a daughter of Gen. John Floyd, who was prominently connected with the early history of Georgia. Her husband was a son of Gen. David Blackshear, also one of the old land marks of pioneer days.

We regret to hear of the death, on Saturday night last, of Mr. George Martin, an old an well known citizen of our county. He died at his farm on the east side of the river.

Mr. J. Daws (Dawson) Kendrick, brother of Mr. J. H. Kendrick of Hawkinsville, died at Marshalville on Tuesday night, August 1st. Mr. Kendrick left this (Wednesday morning) for Fort Valley, to attend the burial, this afternoon.

Obituary: Departed this life on the 24th inst., at her residence in Wilcox County, Mrs. Eliza Jane Johnson, in the fifty-third year of her age. She was born and raised in Pulaski County, and was married in the same county to Troy Johnson in 1840, by whom she had twelve children, ten of them died young, but her eldest, a son, gave his life as a sacrifice for his county. She leaves five sons and three daughters to mourn their irreparable loss. A Friend.

Vol. 10, #31, Thursday Morning, 10 Aug.1876:

The Fort Valley Mirror of the 2nd inst., say last Thursday some little excitement was created by elopement of Mr. John Swift and Mrs. S. E. Castleman, both of Perry. We are informed that they were married in the City of Chattanooga and immediately left for the lone star state.

Elected on Monday evening, 31st ult., at the residence of the officiating clergyman (Rev. Martin Morgan), Mr. L. F. Collier was married to Miss Macie Hames, all of Dooly...

Mrs. Lizzie Fleming, wife of Mr. D. G. Fleming, departed this life on Saturday last after a brief and painful illness. ...The beraved husband has the condolence of the community in this his hour of sore affliction.

Obituary: Died near Cochran, Ga., on the 11th day of July 1876, Hiram, infant son of Mr. J. J. and Mrs. Lizzie Floyd, aged thirteen months and 23 days...

Judge William H. Davis, who returned from Dooly County on Monday last, reports the accidental killing, on that day of Mr. Dock Averett. ...The accident occurred on the plantation of Mr. James Carlisle, with whom the deceased was living. ...his death is a great loss to his wife and sister.

Obituary: Departed this life, on the 7th day of June 1876, at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. J. H. Fenn, in Dooly County, Ga., Mrs. Jane (Carey) Ross, aged 72 years, 4 months and 19 days. Mrs. Ross was born in Laurens County, Ga., January 18, 1804, and in 1821 married Thomas Sanders, and lived with him till 1838 when he died leaving her with five little children. In March 1839 she married Henry H. Ross, with whom she lived in peace and quiet until her death in 1870. Mrs. Ross joined the Baptist Church in 1831, while on a visit to her sister in Laurens County, and from that time till her death was ever a consistent, faithful and exemplary member. ...Friend, Dooly County, Ga., July 15, 1876.

Vol. 10, #32, Thursday Morning, 17 Aug.1876:

Mr. Blake Walker, a well known young man of this county, died at the residence of his cousin, Dr. T. F. Walker, in Cochran, on Thursday evening, 10th inst. The remains were interred by members of Pulaski Lodge, #85, I.O.O.F. on Friday afternoon, 11th inst.

The Irwinton Southerner relates the following: About seven years ago Capt. William Ryals, of Wilkinson County, died. His remains were enclosed in a

mahogony casket and consigned to the grave, where they remained six years, when his wife had them taken up and removed to a cemetery prepared for them near the homestead. ...A short time ago his aged wife died, and before death placed his seal up on her lips she requested her friends to bury her by the side of her husband...

Vol. 10, #33, Thursday Morning, 24 Aug.1876:

Tribute of Respect: Pulaski Lodge, #85, I.O.O.F., Cochran, Ga., August 14, 18761. Brother B. B. Walker, who was summoned to eternity on August 14th 1876.

Mr. George Paulk, the County Treasurer of Irwin County, and an exemplary and popular citizen, died on the 15th inst., as we learn from the Berien County Journal.

Vol. 10, #34, Thursday Morning, 31 Aug.1876:

A telegraphic dispatch was received here on Tuesday evening announcing the sudden death of Mr. Needham W. Jelks at Lake Jesup, Fla., where the deceased had moved with his family last winter in the hope benefiting his health. His brother, Mr. Joe Jelks, left this (Wednesday) morning for Florida.

Mr. George W. Hobbs, aged about twenty-two years, died very suddenly of congestive chill on Tuesday morning. Mr. Hobbs was a young man of promise, and had only returned to Hawkinsville a few weeks ago, after a absence of about eleven years. Being a poor boy, he left the country and went north with the Federal soldiers in 1865...

Vol. 10, #35, Thursday Morning, 7 Sep.1876:

Mr. J. A. Martin, of this county, died at his farm on the east side of the river on Monday night last, after a lingering ailment...

We regret to hear of the death of little Annie Turner, aged eight years and eight months, and eldest child of Rev. Elias and Mrs. Sophronia Turner, of Wilcox County. Little Annie was taken sick on Friday and died on Monday, the 28th ult., after an illness of only four days...

In Memory: Mr. Needham W. Jelks died on the 29th of August 1876, on Lake Jessup, Fla., upon the orange grove which he planted ten years ago when only 18 years old. ...being only 28 years old, leaving behing him a precious, noble wife, and two little children, who will never be loved for Need's sake by his grief stricken parents, respectively 63 and 73 years old, and his dear brother and sister and other near and dear relatives... J.O.J.

Vol. 10, #36, Thursday Morning, 14 Sep.1876:

Mrs. Sabra Cadwell, wife of James Cadwell, died at her home in Dodge County, August 21, 1876, aged about 71 years. She leaves many relative and friends to mourn her loss. W. N.

Vol. 10, #37, Thursday Morning, 21 Sep.1876:

Tribute of Respect: Longstreet Grange, #19, August 19, 1876. ...Burwell Blake Walker, who died in Cochran, Ga., August 10, 1876, aged 26 years.

Died in Eastman, on 8th inst., Mrs. M. A. Harrell, aged 46 years, and in Dodge County, on the 4th inst., Mrs. Rebecca Griffin, wife of Y. R. Griffin.

A letter received in Hawkinsville on Tuesday evening from Mr. Lathrop, of Savannah, announced the death of George Manning, from yellow fever. He was a son of Col. S. M. Manning, who at the breaking out of the late war was a prosperous and wealthy merchant of this place. His eldest son Seaborn, aged about twenty-one years, and a year of two ago Marshal of Hawkinsville, died in Brunswick also last week, it is supposed from yellow fever, though, by some believed to have been caused by consumption.

Vol. 10, #38, Thursday Morning, 28 Sep.1876:

Died in Hawkinsville, on the 21st inst., little Maria, daughter of Captain R. W. and Mrs. Agnes Anderson, aged about 2 years.

Vol. 10, #39, Thursday Morning, 5 Oct.1876:

Died in Hawkinsville, on the 27th of September, of yellow fever, Thomas McKenzie Wood, aged 18 years, 10 months and 26 days. Mr. Wood was a brother of Mrs. Frank Hurst, and was a young man of bright promise, loved and respected by all who knew him. He arrived in Hawkinsville sick from Brunswick on the 23d ult., and despite the careful attention of skilled physicians, and the tender nursing of an affectionate mother and sister, died as above stated.

The Savannah News of the 27th ult., has the following: Among the deaths yesterday we are pained to record that of Mr. William F. Blue. He was born in Pulaski County, Ga., served during the war in the Eight Georgia Regiment and Jackson Artillery, of Macon, was about forty years of age. ...He leaves a wife and three children, who are now in Macon...

Died in Dodge County, Ga., September 30, 1876, Mrs. Mary A. Coody, aged 33 years, 8 months and 8 days. Sister Coody leaves a bereaved husband, four children and many relatives and friends to mourn her loss... R.E.M.

Married at the residence of Judge Alexander McDuffie, on the 21st ult., by Rev. M. Sikes, Mr. Hugh Browning and Miss Sallie E. McDuffie, all of Telfair County, Ga... W.

Married at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. G. R. McCall, Mr. John K. Partin and Miss Susan Newman. ...Our quondam associate abandoned us Thursday last... (Compilers Note: This John K. Partin must have been related to Mrs. Henrietta Partin who died on the 16th of March 1877, see Vol. 11, #12. The death notice was signed: Farewell grandmother. J.K.P.)

Vol. 10, #40, Thursday Morning, 12 Oct.1876:

The Irwinton Southerner announced the death of Mr. Hardin T. Smith of Twiggs County.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Arthur Newman, in Pulaski County, on the evening of the 5th inst., by Rev. G. R. McCall, Mr. R. R. Woods and Miss Nannie C. Newman...

Tribute of Respect: The following preamble and resolutions were passed by the Snow Spring Sunday School of the Vienna Circuit, South Georgia Conference, October 1st 1876. Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God to remove from our midst and school our loved comrade and faithful scholar, Lee Moore, son of Elijah and Margaret A. Moore...

Obituary: Mrs. Elizabeth J. (Jane) Bedgood, wife of Mr. R. A. Bedgood, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Brown, was born in Dooly County August 10, 1841, and died in this county September 26th, 1876. She joined the Baptist Church at the age of 22 and from the time she gave herself to God and the church... Many Friends.

Vol. 10, $41, Thursday Morning, 19 Oct.1876:

Married, at the residence of Mr. S. J. Epstein, in this city, on the evening of the 17th inst., by Rev. H. Gersoni, of Atlanta, Mr. Max Stern, of Hawkinsville, and Miss Henrietta Reeser, of Savannah.

We announced in last week's Dispatch the serious illness of Mr. J. W. Lathrop, of Savannah. At the time of publication of our item, Mr. Lathrop was in Greensboro, North Carolina, where he had gone to see a dying son and where his death occurred on Thursday 12th inst. ...For many years before the war he did business in Hawkinsville. Afterwards moving to Savannah...

A letter from a subscriber at Bowen's Mills, Wilcox County, informs us of the death of Mrs. Sarah Akins, which occurred recently near that place. Her funeral sermon will be preached at Bethlehem church, Wilcox County, on the first Sunday in November.

Elsewhere in the Dispatch appears a notice of death of Mr. James W. Lathrop. The Savannah News, in speaking of his death says: Mr. Lathrop was a native of Connecticut, and descended from the pure puritan stock. His father was a prominent Democratic politician, and having moved to Indiana on the organization of that state was the Democratic candidate for Governor, but died pending the canvass. The son, the subject of this brief notice, moved to Georgia when he was about eight years old. ...He was in the prime of an active life, being about fifty-eight years of age at the time of death. His remains were interred in the Morehead family lot in Greensboro, N.C., beside those of his beloved son, who preceded him to the grave but a few days...

Vol. 10, #42, Thursday Morning, 26 Oct.1876:

None noted.

Vol. 10, #43, Thursday Morning, 2 Nov.1876:

Married, in Wilcox County, on the 12th of October 1876, Mr. Troy Johnson and Mrs. S. Bush.

We regret to announce the death of Mr. Miles Sanders, an old and highly respected citizen of this county. His death took place on Sunday afternoon last at his farm a few miles below Hawkinsville. Mr. Sanders was a native of Wilkinson County, but lived in Pulaski for upwards of twenty-five years, and was esteemed for his traits of honesty, candor, and kindness. He had reached a ripe age, passing away in his seventy-fourth year.

A friend in Dodge write us of the death of Mr. Matthias Burch, which occurred from an attack of typhoid fever at the residence of his brother-in-law, Mr. William Buchanan. Mr. Burch was a promising young man, and was a member of the Missionary Baptist Church, which he joined a year ago. Also the very sudden death of little Joseph, infant son of Mr. Reubin and Mrs. Sallie Purvis.

Vol. 10, #44, Thursday Morning, 9 Nov.1876:

Mr. J. K. Branam, Sheriff of Wilkinson County, Mr. Willie Lewis and several other citizens of the county are making arrangements to emigrate to Texas. The Irwinton Southerner and Appeal expresses regret at their departure from Wilkinson.

The Irwinton Southerner announces the death in Macon, Ga., on 30th of October, of Mrs. Mary Beall Washington, wife of Mr. R. Porter Washington of Macon, and daughter of Dr. Warren Gibson of Wilkinson, after a brief illness of congestive fever contacted in Pulaski County, aged 17 years and 10 months.

Our community deeply sympathises with Judge C. M. Bozeman and wife in the death of their little boy, George Riley. He died yesterday (Tuesday) morning, after a painful illness of only a few days...

Died in Dooly County, November 2nd, at the residence of her parents, John and M. Fannie Collier, Irene Nettie, in the twelfth year of her age...

Obituary: Died in Irwin County, Ga., Sept. 1, 1876, Thomas H. Batton, age about 32 years. ...Only eight days after his death, the bereaved and heart stricken mother placed by his side a lovely and promising little son, only 3 years old, and whose spirit has taken its flight to realms above. Brother Batton was a consistent member of the Methodist Church, a christian friend and neighbor. He leaves six little children. T.D.L. (Compilers Note: Buried Ozias-Bethlehem Church, Ben Hill County)

Vol. 10, #45, Thursday Morning, 16 Nov.1876:

Died, in Texas on the (not given) day of (not given) 1876, Mr. John Henderson, aged about 67 years. The deceased was born in Wilkinson County, Ga., and moved to Houston County when quite young and there married and raised up a family. In Houston County his first wife died, and he afterwards married Miss Jane Summerford, a sister of William Summerford, of Dooly County. He moved to Texas about three years ago and had made many friends in his new home. He was a strict member of the Methodist Church and lived fully up to the principles of christianity.

Vol. 10, #46, Thursday Morning, 23 Nov.1876:

Three young men of this county, Lee Thompson, John Tippett, and Bob Charters, left here on Monday last to search for homes and fortunes in Texas...

Mr. J. F. Barber, an old and esteemed citizen of the county, died at his home on Cedar Creek on Friday last, aged about fifty-five years...

We observed in one of our exchanges a report that a son of Mr. J. E. Joiner, of Dooly County, aged 16, was accidently killed on his father's place, Monday, 13th instant, while engaged in grinding cane...

We are informed of the death of Mr. Samuel Washington, in this county, on Tuesday, 21st inst. ...also of the death of Mrs. Stokes, wife of Mr. John Stokes, near Cochran, on Tuesday, the 21st.

Married by J. W. Domingos, at the residence of the bride's mother, at 8½ O'clock A.M., November 2nd 1876, Mr. James Pope and Miss Emily J. Speight, both of Dooly County, Geogia.

Married by J. W. Domingos, at the residence of the bride's father, at 10 O'clock A.M., November 2nd 1876, Mr. Willowby Manning of Houston County, Georgia and Mrs. Nancy Ragan of Dooly County, Georgia.

Obituary: Lucy Marchman, only daughter of William H. and Mary F. Marchman, was born in Pulaski County, Georgia, November the 29th, 1870, and died in Dooly County, Georgia, September 29, 1876. J.W. Domingos.

Francis Marion Marchman, son of William and Sarah Marchman, was born in Harris County, Ga., and died in Dooly County, Ga., October 21, 1876, in his 27th year... J.W.D.

Vol. 10, #47, Thursday Morning, 30 Nov.1876:

Hon. Buford M. Davis, one of the newly-elected Representatives of Houston County, was married to Miss. Rosa Brown on Sunday, 19th inst.

We learn that a difficulty occurred at Dorminey's Mills, in Irwin County, on Saturday, 18th inst., between Joshua Welsh and Luke Merritt, in which the

latter received a pistol-shot wound that caused his death on Sunday morning following.

Mrs. Pollock, wife of Mr. Edward A. Pollock, died this (Wednesday) morning, at their home below Hawkinsville.

Mr. Zachariah Hall, of Dooly County, died on the 7th day of November 1876, aged ninety-one years. Mr. Hall was probably the oldest man in this part of Georgia, and for his services in the War of 1812 he received regularly a pension of about $96 per annum from the United States Government. He was born in South Carolina and removed to Dooly County about thirty years ago, and his connection with the Primative Baptist Church was marked with consistency and zeal, and he leaves a good name for the heritage of his numerous posterity. His sons, daughters, and grand-children number probably nearly one hundred.

The following dispatch reached us yesterday afternoon: Gordon, Ga., November 25th ... Two men were killed here this evening by W. H. Dykes, policeman, for whom two hundred dollars reward is offered. Wilson Sanders. From a gentlemen, who was in Gordon shortly after the occurrence, we obtain the following particulars: It seems that Mr. Daniel Sanders and Dr. W. Gibson had a fight, in which the latter was severly handled. Mr. W. H. Dykes, Town Marshal, attempted the arrest of Sanders. A brother of Sanders interfered to prevent the arrest, and Sanders drew a knife and advanced threateningly upon Dykes, who drew a pistol and shot Sanders dead. A man named Barantine then drew his knife and swore he would kill Dykes, where upon Dykes fired another shot, and Barantine fell dead. Dykes then fired two shots at the father of Sanders, but without effect. Dykes was not arrested, but was generally understood to be still in Gordon. He is a brother-in-law of Sanders, whom he killed.

Died at Redding's Mill, on the 11th day of November, 1876, Mr. John Calhoun, age 23 years. The deceased was born and raised in Dooly County, Ga., joined the Baptist church when quite young and his seat in the church was never found vacant, except from providential causes. He was shot by Mr. W. S. Redding on the 18th day of October, receiving a wound in the head, which caused his death in 23 days. He was attended by Dr. H. H. Harmon, of Drayton, who did all in his power to save him. Deceased leaves an aged mother, a loving wife and one child, two sisters and a brother to mourn his death. Done by order of the church in conference, at Mount Vernon, Dooly County, this Nov. 17, 1876...

<u>Vol. 10, #48, Thursday Morning, 7 Dec.1876</u>:

Married, on the evening of the 29th ultimo, at the residence of Mr. James Fleming, by Rev. George R. McCall, Mr. John B. Lewis to Miss Maggie M. Fleming, all of Pulaski. ...Mr. William M. Anderson, a kinsman of the bride groom, gave an infare on the day following the wedding...

Tribute of Respect: United Friends of Temperance, Excelsior Counsel, #163, Cochran, Ga., Dec. 1, 1876. ...Whereas, our Heavenly Father has seen fit, in his

great wisdom, to remove from this earthly sphere out beloved sister, A. M. Stokes, who on the 21st of November 1876 passed through the valley and shadow of death...

* Ref. Homicide in Gordon, Ga., Vol. 10, #47. The two slain men identified as James Barantine and Daniel Sanders. Complete details were discussed by the Irwinton Southerner and Appeal.

Vol. 10, #49, Thursday Morning, 14 Dec.1876:

Dr. C. E. Clarke, of Pulaski, left with his family on Monday morning last for Texas, where they have a home awaiting them.

On the morning of the 7th inst., at the residence of the bride's father (Mr. N. H. Mobley), Mr. Reason Whitehead was married to Miss Mollie O. Mobley. Rev. R. M. Owen, officiating. All of Dooly.

On the evening of the 10th inst., at the residence of the brides mother, in Hawkinsville, by Rev. George R. McCall, Mr. D. G. Flemey to Miss Mildred J. Jones...

Married, at the residence of the bride's grandmother, by Rev. E. H. Godwin, Mr. Thomas Wade and Miss Janie Crumpler, on the 7th inst., the former a resident of Pulaski, and the latter of Twiggs County.

The Perry Jounal announces the death of Col. Geo. S. Haslam, of Houston County, on Thursday, December 7th. Col. Haslam was a Lieutenant in Capt. Dennard's Company in the Indian War, and was one of the oldest and most influential citizens of Houston County. His remains were interred in Marshallville.

Vol. 10, #50, Thursday Morning, 21 Dec.1876:

Another party of emigrants left Hawkinsville for Texas on Monday morning. Henry Hoggsett and family, Vic. Gordon and family, Monroe Williams and Andrew Couey. Mr. William Smith, who moved from Pulaski to Texas several years ago, but who returned a few weeks since, gave such a glowing description of the county that his last party went back with him, and several more would be glad to go if they could dispose of their effects and settle up their business.

Married, at the residence of Rev. R. O. Holton, on the evening of the inst., by Rev. R. O. Holton, Mr. R. H. Butler and Miss Della Mercer, all of Pulaski County. (Compilers Note: Date was omitted)

* Just on the eve of going to press, (3 O'clock Wednesday afternoon), a dispatch reaches us by telegraph from Cochran stating that Mr. W. T. McVay, a leading merchant and prominent citizen of Cochran, was shot and killed this morning by Sol Maas, a German merchant of that place. We are without any particulars...

Mr. Phillip Pepkin, an old and well known citizen and sucessful farmer of this county, died from an attack of pneumonia on Monday night last, at his farm on the east side of the river. ...The remains will be buried tomorrow (Thursday) afternoon at two O'clock, at a place selected by the deceased upon his farm. *

Obituary: Jonathan Frederick Barber, son of Rev. Frederick Barber, was born in North Carolina, June 17th, 1813, and moved to Washington County, Ga., when quite small. From Washington County he moved to Houston County and finally settled in Pulaski County, where he died on the 17th of November, 1876, aged 63 years and 5 months. He was a kind husband, and a loving father. He leaves an aged companion, two sons, and two daughters to mourn his loss. Deceased was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church.

Vol. 10, #52, Thursday Morning, 28 Dec.1876:

This issue contained on one page of legal ads.

Vol. 11, #1, Thursday Morning, 4 Jan.1877:

Married, on the morning of the 19th December, at the residence of the bride's father, (Judge W. B. Cone, of Dooly,) by Rev. N. W. Collier, Mr. Robert Raiford, of Cochran, to Miss L. L. Cone.

Married at the residence of Capt. John H. Martin, in Hawkinsville on the morning of the 23rd inst., by Rev. W. McKay, Mr. Richard T. Smith of Dooly, to Miss Mary L. Martin, of Hawkinsville.

On Friday, the 22d ult., Mr. John Blue, of this county, was killed by being thrown out of his buggy, during the sudden fright of his horse.

Crushed to death in a cotton screw. Mr. Aleck Lowe, a young man living in the vicinity of Drayton, Dooly County, met with a terrible death a few days ago...

A telegram received in Hawkinsville on Christmas morning announced the death of Capt. J. R. Stapler, father of our townsman Mr. Richard L. Stapler. The Savannah News contains the following in reference thereto: Capt. J. R. Stapler died at his residence, near Bellville, Fla., on the morning of the 25th inst. He was a sucessful planter, a good citizen...

Vol. 11, #2, Thursday Morning, 11 Jan.1877:

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. B. F. Watson, in Dooly County, on the 7th inst., by Judge S. Adams, Mr. L. Bourrum and Miss Martha A. Watson, all of Dooly County.

The Eastman Times announces the death of Mrs. Esther Bowen, of Dodge County, on the night of the 1st inst. She was the widow of the late Enoch Bowen, formerly of Telfair County, and at one time was an inmate of the Lunatic Asylum on account of mental derangement.

James F. Frazier, who was sentenced to the penitentiary for life for the crime of killing Dr. Dunwoody, of Houston County, died of fever on Champney Island, near Darien, on the 2d day of November last.

On the 30th of December, Mr. J. A. and Mrs. R. S. Scarborough, of the upper part of this county, experienced the sad misfortune of losing their little son, Willie Thomas, whose clothing accidentally caught fire and so severely burned him that he lived but about fourteen hours.

Vol. 11, #3, Thursday Morning, 18 Jan.1877:

Married, near Hawkinsville, on the 11th inst., by Rev. J. W. Domingos, Mr. Robert C. Swearingen, of Dooly County, Ga., to Miss Mary F. Baskin, of Pulaski County, Ga.

Died in Wilcox County, Ga., at the residence of her husband, on the 8th inst, Mrs. Emma Doster, wife of Mr. Norman Doster, aged 17 years, 10 months and 48 days. She was the youngest daughter of Dr. & Mrs. T. C. Mitchell...

Mr. Thad Brown left Wilkinson County seven or eight years ago with his wife to try his fortune in the state of Arkansas. He had just married. ...They resolved to return to old Wilkinson, and for years bent every energy to the accumulation of sufficient funds to defray their expenses back to their old home. A few days before the expiration of the year 1876 they arrived and were welcome by their old friends. ...he was stricken down with pneumonia, and on the 6th of January, eight days after reaching home, he breathed his last. He came home to die. He leaves a wife and two children and many relatives and friends to mourn his loss. Irwinton Southerner.

Vol. 11, #4, Thursday Morning, 25 Jan.1877:

Mr. E. T. Byington, of the National Hotel, Macon, Ga., was married in Perry last week to Miss Ella Virginia Goode, daughter of the late Charles T. Goode, and granddaughter of Gen. Eli Warren of Perry.

The remains of Mr. Needham W. Jelks, who died at Lake Jesup, Florida, in August last, were brought to Hawkinsville and interred in Orange Grove Cemetery on Monday afternoon last.

Married, on Sunday evening, January 21st, at the Union Church, Cochran, Ga., Mr. Arthur E. Wiggs to Miss M. Walton Hunter, niece of Mr. & Mrs. H. W. Raiford of Cochran.

Letters from the People (In three Parts, only first part copied): Cleburne, Texas, 14 January 1877. Editor, Hawkinsville Dispatch. Will you allow me space in the columns of your paper for a short advertisement. I have lost two brothers that I cannot hear from. Their length, breadth and complexion I cannot give. Names as follows: Charles R. Coney, aged about 28 years, and J. W. Coney, aged about 25 or 26 years. Any information leading to their whereabouts will be thankfully received. I have taken this plan as the last

chance to hear from them. I have wrote to them and cannot hear from them, have not heard from them in three years. W. Crawford Coney, N.B., Post Office, Cleburne, Texas.

We learn from parties who have lately visited Twiggs that a very unfortunate affray occured in that county on the fifth inst., which resulted in the serious wounding of Mr. Lem Burkett and Willie Fitzpatrick. We gather the following particulars from our informants: The two gentlemen had a difficulty several days before in regard to county politics, which was quieted. ...The latest accounts represent Mr. Burkett's wounds as fatal. Mr. Fitzpatrick was arrested and gave bond. His wounds are also very severe. Irwinton Southerner.

The Irwinton Southerner says that Mr. Lemuel Burkett, one of the parties in the unfortunate rencountre of the 5th of January, in Twiggs County, an account of which is published on the first page of this week's Dispatch, breathed his last on the evening of Thursday, January 11th, at his home in Twiggs County, and was buried on Saturday, the 13th instant.

The Irwinton Southerner, announcing the death of Mr. James Stephens, of Wilkinson County, which took place on Sunday, 14th inst., says...

Mr. W. J. Mullis, of Pulaski County, received a few days ago a letter from his brother-in-law, W. J. Holland, who recently moved from this county to Texas. He is now living near Mesquite station, on the Texas and Pacific Railroad, in Dallas County. By the request of his friends and relatives here, we make the following extracts from the letter, which is dated the 1st of January 1877: (Compilers note: Letter dealt with reporting of crops and mentioned brothers Jim and Jessie have gathered about 32 or 33 bales of cotton) W. J. Holland.

Died, on Sunday evening, December 10, 1876, John W., infant son of Levi and Mary Harrell. He was a bright little boy, aged 4 years... His Grandmother.

Obituary: Died in Wilcox County, at the residence of her husband, Mrs. Norman Doster, aged seventeen years and ten months and eighteen days. Tis with a sad heart and gloomy spirit the writer of this article chronicles this sad fact, yet it is true, too true! On the 8th inst., Emma, for such we called her, after a painful illness of eighteen hours, was called to pass through the valley and the shadow of death. ...She was the youngest daughter of Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Mitchell... Abbeville, Ga., Jan. 10, 1877.

<u>Vol. 11, #5, Thursday Morning, 1 Feb.1877</u>:

Mr. William Forehand, of Dooly County, died on the night of the 20th inst. He was highly esteemed as an honest and upright citizen.

Dr. J. G. O'Brien has moved from Gordon, Wilkinson County, to Texas, where he lived before coming to Georgia.

Judge Phineas L. Tracy, one of the founders of the City of Macon, died in Batavia, New York, on December 22, 1876.

The remains of the late James W. Lathrop, Esq., and of his son, Charles N. Lathrop, of Savannah, whose deaths took place at Greensboro, N. C., last October, reached Savannah on Thursday last, by the Savannah and Charleston Road, and were interred in Evergreen Cemetery, Bonaventure, in the afternoon. Only the family of the deceased gentleman and the members of the Cotton Exchange, of which body Mr. Lathrop, Sr., was President at the time of his death, and who attended by request were present at the obsequies of interment.

Vol. 11, #6, Thursday Morning, 8 Feb.1877:

The Irwinton Southerner announces the death of Mrs. Catherine Pennington, age fourty-four years and wife of Mr. A. Pennington. She died of Typhoid fever on the 31st day of January.

Married, in Hawkinsville, on the 31st ult., by Rev. G. R. McCall, Mr. George K. Camp, of Atlanta, and Miss Adella J. Branham, of Marietta, Ga.

Married, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. E. L. Butler, in Dooly County, on the 1st inst., by Rev. H. C. Ferntress, Mr. Thomas Beverly, of Macon County, to Miss Mary Butler.

Dr. Herschel V. Johnson, who, for the last five years, has been a practicing physician in this place, has moved to the City of Macon, where he will open an office and continue his profession...

Married at the residence of Dr. W. S. Johnson, in Pulaski County, by Rev. R. O. Holton, on the evening of the first inst., W. Ira Brown, Esq., of Vienna, Ga., and Mrs. Mary E. Daniel, of Pulaski County...

Vol. 11, #7, Thursday Morning, 15 Feb.1877:

Married, in Jacksonville, Telfair County, Ga., on the 4th inst., Mr. Wesley Bussey and Miss Rebecca Wilcox.

Died, one the 8th inst., at her home in Pulaski County, Mrs. Martha Pope, wife of Mr. John Pope, and daughter of Mr. Bazil Miller. The deceased was about twenty-five years of age, and an amiable and kind hearted lady. Her death is much regretted, not alone by her husband and children, but by those who knew her.

Mr. L. M. Houser, better known as Fred Houser, a prominent and well known citizen of Houston County, was in Hawkinsville on Friday last transacting business, and was in full enjoyment of health. In the evening he started on his return home, near Perry. He reached the Dempsey Brown place about twelve miles west of Hawkinsville, and got out of his buggy to spend the night. Found dead in the hall. Mr. Houser was probably upward of fifty years of age,

a splended specimen of manhood, and the picture of good health. His death is supposed to have been caused by a sudden attack of heart disease or applexy.

From the Irwinton Southerner, News items from Twiggs & Wilkinson Counties. ...Since our last issue death has been busy in our midst. On Monday last, Mr. David D. Ethridge, son of Mr. W. B. Ethridge, died from the affects of Typhoid fever. He had just attined his majority, and had married last December and full of hope and strength had apparently commenced a bright and useful existence, and on the same day, Mr. John T. Parker, son of Mr. W. C. Parker, departed this life. The deceased had reached middle age, and had surrounded himself with a numerous family dependent upon him for a support, to whom his death will be a great affliction. Mr. Parker was an excellent soldier during the War, particupating in all the engagements of the Third Georgia Regiment, of which he was a member. Peace to his ashes.

Mr. George W. Bowen, of Laurens County, died at his residence of his relative, Mr. Joel T. Coney, on the 22d ult., of pneumonia. He was young, bouyant and hopeful, and had just entered the threshold of manhood.

Vol. 11, #8, Thursday Morning, 22 Feb.1877:

Mr. John B. Joiner, a merchant and well known young man in Cochran, died of consumption at Clear Water Harbor, Hillsboro County, Florida, on the 30th day of January, 1877. Mr. Joiner left Cochran about the 20th of October last and went to Florida in the hope of regaining his health. His health grew worse, until in January his last letter to his father, Mr. Jesse M. Joiner, of Hawkinsville, requested him to go to Florida at once. Mr. Joiner departed immediately, but on arrival, found that his son had died and had been buried. His request was that his body should be allowed to remain buried in the soil of Florida where he died.

Vol. 11, #9, Thursday Morning, 1 Mar.1877:

We learn this morning that Mr. John Bembry, living in the vicinity of Harmony Church, Dooly County, died on Tuesday evening. He was known as a good citizen and excellent farmer.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, in Dooly County, GA., on the 15th of February by A. B. Spencer, J.P., Mr. John Parker of Houston County, to Miss Mary Scott.

Died, on the 10th of February, 1877, at her home in Telfair County, GA., Mrs. Mary Brewer, wife of G. H. Brewer, Esq., aged 65 years, 5 months and 9 days. Mrs. Brewer leaves a husband, five daughters, a son and many relatives and friends to mourn their loss. Deceased was born in South Carolina, 21 September, 1810... H.McL., 24 Feb.1877.

Obituary. Miss Annie Poston, was the daughter of Robert B. and Mary J. Poston, and was born in Decatur County, GA., 29th of October, 1849; departed this life at her home in Appling County, GA., on the 10th of February 1877. She

joined the Baptist Church about nine years previous to her death... L. Appling County, GA., 19 Feb.1877.

Vol. 11, #10, Thursday Morning, 8 Mar.1877:

Mr. John Hoover, one of the oldest citizens of Wilkinson County, died on the 22nd of February, in his eighty-seventh year. He was born in Honduras, Central America, in 1790, of German parents, who shortly afterwards moved to South Carolina and thence to Georgia. The deceased was noted for his piety, charity and industry.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, (Mr. A. L. Tippett) near Hawkinsville, on the evening of the 28th ult., by Hon. A. C. Pate, Mr. P. T. McGriff, Jr., to Miss Mary J. Tippett. All of Pulaski...

Mr. John Thompson, an old citizen of Twiggs, aged about 75 years, died in that county on the 27th of February.

It is a sad duty to announce the death of Mr. Abner L. Tippett, who breathed his last at his residence near Hawkinsville on Monday afternoon, March 5th 1877... Mr. Tippett was born in Washington County, GA., but had been a citizen of Pulaski County since early boyhood. He was in his fifty-sixth year at the time of his death... On Tuesday afternoon the remains were escorted to Orange Grove Cemetery by the members of Mount Hope Lodge, F.& A.M., and were followed by a large procession of relatives, friends and acquaintances. After brief services by Rev. George R. McCall, Worshipful Master Henry H. Whitfield opened the Masonic ceremonies, and the grave closed over the mortal remains of one who, loved in life, is mourned in death.

Dr. H. L. W. Craig, known to many of the citizens of Hawkinsville and for some years a resident of Telfair County, which he represented in the Legislature in 1872, died recently in Atlanta...

Vol. 11, #11, Thursday Morning, 15 Mar.1877:

Mr. T. Virgil Feagan and Miss Eulah Stewart, of Houston County, were married on the 22d ult.

Tribute of Respect: Mount Hope Lodge, #9, F.& A.M., Hawkinsville, GA., 8 Mar.1877... Our Worthy brother Abner L. Tippett died March 5, 1877, age fifty-six years...

Vol. 11, #12, Thursday Morning, 22 Mar.1877:

Married, at the residence of Mr. T. N. Mason of Longstreet, Pulaski County, on the evening of the 7th inst., by Rev. George R. McCall, Mr. George W. Jordan, Jr., and Miss L. M. Mason, all of Pulaski. Also married by the same, on the 15th inst., Mr. Jesse McLamore, and Miss S. Smith, all of Pulaski.

Died, in Laurens County, GA., on the 16th inst., Mrs. Henrietta Partin, age 79 years. Deceased moved from Edgefield County, South Carolina, to Laurens County, in 1823. She was a consistent member of the Baptist Church for upwards of forty years, and was highly esteemed and dearly beloved by all who knew her. She leaves a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn her loss. Farewell grand-mother. J.K.P.

Mr. Pleasant Ray, a very old and highly esteemed citizen of Dooly County, died at his home in Drayton on Monday night, March 12th. Mr. Ray was about sixty-five years of age, and has been a citizen of Dooly for forty years, having moved from Rochingham, North Carolina, about the year 1837. He was a worthy member of the Baptist Church for many years, and was regareded as an excellent citizen and kind neighbor.

Died, in Dooly County, GA., on the 29th of October, 1876, Joseph S. Bowen, aged 19 years, 8 months and 11 days. Deceased was a son of Joseph and Easter Bowen, and a youth of great promise... G.W.T.

Vol. 11, #13, Thursday Morning, 29 Mar.1877:

We cull the following item from the Houston Home Journal of the 23rd inst. Married, at the residence of the bride's mother, by Elder R. E. Story, on the 8th day of March, 1877, Mr. M. M. Jones was married to Miss E. M. Dorsett. All of Houston County...

From a memorial notice published in the Thomasville Times, we extract the following: Mr. John Choice Hall was born, in Pulaski County, GA., Jan. 26th, 1807, and died, at his residence in Leon County, FL., after a lingering sickness of several years, Dec. 13th, 1876, on the very eve of the accomplishment of his "three score and ten." The earliest years of his life were spent in the county of his birth, whence he attended college at the State University of Georgia, but, before graduation, he removed with his father to Florida and assisted him in establishing the first hotel in Tallahassee.

Vol. 11, #14, Thursday Morning, 5 Apr.1877:

Mr. J. P. Smith and Miss Q. V. Davis, both of Houston County, were married, on the 27th ult.

At a late hour on Thursday evening last, the sad and startling intelligence reached Hawkinsville that Mr. A. H. Grace, a well known and highly esteemed citizen of this county, had been accidently shot and killed... On Sunday morning the remains followed by a large procession of relatives, friends and acquaintances, were taken to Orange Grove Cemetery in this place and interred with all the honors of Odd Fellowship by Anderson Lodge, #24, of which Mr. Grace was a member. Deceased was aged about 34 years, and leaves an effectionate wife and three small children to mourn his sad and untimely death.

In Memorian: Andrew H(amilton) Grace, on the 30th of March, 1877, the angel of death suddenly invaded the ranks of our order, ...at the early age of 34 years...

Vol. 11, #15, Thursday Morning, 12 Apr.1877:

The Fort Valley Mirror publishes the marriage of Mr. M. Keith and Miss Sarah N. Duke. The groom is age 70, and the bride is 25 years.

The wife of Col. John M. Stubbs, of Dublin, died on the 29th of March. The remains were interred in the cemetery in Macon.

Mr. D. W. G'Nann and Mr. John N. Evans, of Houston County, died last week. Both were highly esteemed citizens.

Mrs. Akin, wife of Mr. M. C. Akin, of House Cree, Wilcox County, was buried on the 29th ult. Her husband was seriously ill at the time of her death.

Daniel Fussell, a promising and estimable young man about twenty-four years of age, and son of Hon. Timothy Fussell, of Coffee County, died a few days ago... Death, it was thought, was caused by apoplexy.

The wife of Mr. Aleck Murray, of the same (Coffee) county, was also found dead in her bed a few mornings ago...

Little Archy Statham, aged seven years, and son of Mr. Norman Statham, of Wilcox County, died on Thursday evening, the 5th inst., after an illness of eight weeks...

Vol. 11, #16, Thursday Morning, 19 Apr.1877:

Murdered in Texas... Persons who visited the Macon Passenger Depot on Tuesday morning might have seen a casket enclosed in a box, on which is written "the remains of George W. Burney, of Galveston, Texas." They read the superscription, wondered who George W. Burney was, and dismissed the subject from their minds. George W. Burney was a son of Mr. Milton Burney, a native of Wilkinson County, but now a resident of Clay. Mr. George W. Burney, left his father and went to Texas several years ago, embarked in business and had won respectability and prosperity... The remains of Mr. Burney were interred temporarily in Texas and his father being informed of his death ordered them sent to Georgia, and they arrived in Macon on Monday night, and were carried to Houston County and deposited in a grave by the side of his mother, who died some years ago. Irwinton Southerner, 5th inst.

Mr. J. Steward Lott and Miss A. J. Peterson, of Coffee County were married on the 15th inst.

Mr. A. B. Irby and Miss Ida Powell of Houston County, were married on the 4th inst.

Mr. H. J. Morgan and Miss Katie Wallace, of Dooly County were married on the 12th inst.

Mr. Robert Dixon, of Irwin County died on the 11th inst, age 83 years.

Mr. Hugh McCartney died at his residence in Wilcox County on the 13th inst., of typhoid fever.

Mr. Samuel Hill, of this county, died on Monday, March 26th., of disease of the heart. He was known as a kind neighbor and good citizen, and for several years past filled the position of bailiff during the session of the Superior Court in this county. He had been living for about thirty years in the neighborhood where his death occurred.

Vol. 11, #17, Thursday Morning, 26 Apr.1877:

Mr. Thomas Whitsett, one of the most prominent and useful citizen of Dooly County, died on the 19th inst., aged about 77 years.

Houston County Items: Mrs. Amanda Walker, wife of Mr. Joel T. Walker, died on the 19th inst., of consumption.

Vol. 11, #18, Thursday Morning, 3 May 1877:

Georgia News: Mr. Bennett Purvis is said to be the oldest man in Dooly County. He lives in the 6th District of that county. Dr. A. C. C. Thompson, of Gordon, Wilkinson County, died of typhoid fever on the 24th ult...

Dr. C. H. Colding, left Tuesday last on a visit to his father in South Carolina. The Doctor has been a practicing physician in Hawkinsville for many years, and it will be pleasant to visit his old home and find his native state once more free and under the rule of her people. He will be absent about ten days.

The funeral of the late Abner L. Tippett will be preached at Antioch Church, in this county, on Sunday next, by Rev. W. R. Steeley, the pastor. Mr. Steeley will also preach the funeral of the late John Z. Parker, of Wilcox County, at Liberty Church, in that county, on the second Sunday in May.

Mr. Bryant Couey, age forty-seven years, died at Cochran in this county, on the 25th of April, of pneumonia. Mr. Couey was originally from Montgomery, but for several years past had lived in Laurens County.

Mr. Alexander Peterson, aged fifty-seven years, died at his home in Montgomery County on the 31st of March, leaving a wife and six children, and many relatives and friends to mourn his death.

Colonel C. C. Kibbee, so well known in Central Georgia, and indeed through the whole state, and his charming bride are guest at the Kimball House. He was married a few days since at Lafayette, Indiana, to Miss Louie Taylor, a daughter of Mr. Clinton Taylor, of Atlanta, formerly of Indiana...

Mr. John Mobley, of Tattnall County, died on the 15th of April, aged about eighty-four years. He was the father of Dr. J. E. and Mr. J. J. Mobley, of Montgomery County.

The Houston Home Journal announced the death of Mr. Jesse T. Brewer, at Minerva in that county, on the 22nd ult. Also the death of Mrs. Benjamin Vinson, Sr., on the 21st ult.

Vol. 11, #19, Thursday Morning, 10 May 1877:

Gen. John B. Gordon was born in Upson County in 1832.

Married, on the morning of the 1st inst., at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. Thos. H. Stewart, Mr. K. C. Bullard, of Telfair County, and Miss Joe Hudson, eldest daughter of Major John N. Hudson of Schley County.

Mr. J. S. C. Marshal, of Houston County, and Miss E. J. Manson, of Wilkinson County, were married on the 26th ult.

Died, at the residence of his son, near Goldsborough, Pulaski County, GA., on the 12th of April, 1877, Mr. Nathan Bates, aged 96 years, 1 month and 28 days. He leaves many relatives and friends to mourn his loss, but we hope their loss will be eternal gain. He was a consistent member of the Baptist Church.

Mr. Elijah Moore died at his residence in the second district of Dooly County on the 24th of April 1877, from ulceration of the throat. Heavy indeed falls this blow upon his devoted wife and children. He was in his forty-fourth year, full of energy, devoted to his family... He was a devoted member of the Methodist Church for 30 years, and also an orderly and faithful member of the masonic order... A.J.L.

Vol. 11, #21, Thursday Morning, 24 May 1877:

John R. Bostwick, Esq., died in Gordon, Wilkinson County, on the 13th inst., after a long and painful illness. He had lived in Wilkinson County about twenty years, and was respected for his honesty and morality by all who knew him. Aged sixty-seven years.

Mrs. Martha J. Coley, wife of Mr. James R. Coley, of Pulaski County, died on the 14th inst.

Mr. James Holt, an old and well known citizen, died at his home in Wilcox County on Wednesday, the 16th of May. Mr. Holt was about sixty-seven years of age, and had been living in this section for more than fifty years, having, when a boy, moved from North Carolina to Georgia. He was a very large stock owner, owning in Wilcox and adjoining counties several hundred head of sheep and cattle. He was for many years a citizen of Pulaski, but through a change of county lines by a late Legislature, he became a citizen of Wilcox. Though possessing but little in any education, Mr. Holt was, nevertheless, a shrewd business man, and leaves to his family a large estate in stock, lands, etc.

The remains were buried at Friendship Church.

We observe in the last issue of the Bainbridge Democrat the announcement of the marriage in Brainbridge, of Mr. Wilber F. Moss, of Eastman, GA, to Miss. Fannie Lockwood, daughter of Rev. R. M. Lockwood, pastor of the Hawkinsville Methodist Church in 1872. The ceremony was performed by the bride's father in the Methodist Episcopal Church of which he is pastor...

Vol. 11, #22, Thursday Morning, 31 May 1877:

We clip the following items from the Perry Journal of last Friday: The insatiate monster has again invaded our county, and laid his hand on one of our best citizens - Col. Henry Toomer died at his residence about six miles from Perry last Monday, in his seventy-first year. He had been ill some time of a brain affection, and has been in feeble health for several years. Col. Toomer was a member of one of the oldest and most honorable families of North Carolina, and was a gentleman of fine education, besides being one of the most accopmlished and courteous gentlemen we ever say... Col. Toomer was buried at the Perry Cemetery, Tuesday last. May the sod rest lightly o'er his head...

Mrs. Rhoda Cooper, age eighty-six years, died at her home in Pulaski County on the 21st instant.

Our old fellow citizen, Rev. Needham W. Collier, departed this life at his residence near town on Wednesday evening, May 23d, 1877, aged about sixty-eight years. With the exception of a few years' residence in Dougherty County, Mr. Collier had been a citizen of Pulaski since 1831, in which year he moved from Laurens County to Pulaski. He was an active participant in all important political or religious meetings held in the county during his residence. We are informed by our older citizens that, about the year 1843, he conceived the plan of establishing the present Baptist Church in Hawkinsville, and the completion of the building was mainly accomplished through his efforts... The minutes of Mt. Hope Lodge, as we are also informed, show that Mr. Collier was the first Mason ever initiated in the county... On Thursday afternoon, 24th inst., a large congregation of friends assembled at the Baptist Church, where the funeral services were conducted by Rev. George R. McCall, after which the members of Mt. Hope Lodge, F.& A.M. took charge of the remains and escorted them to Orange Hill Cemetery...

Tribute of Respect, Mt. Hope Lodge, No. 9, F.& A.M., Hawkinsville, GA, May 21, 1877. Again has the Almighty Maker, as his right to do, entered our fraternity and removed another one of our members, Brother N. W. Collier, to the land of Spirits...

Vol. 11, #23, Thursday Morning, 7 Jun.1877:

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Maj. W. L. A. Ellis, in Hawkinsville, on the evening of the 31st ult., by Rev. George R. McCall, Mr. W. Cuyler Oliver, of Eureka, Dooly County, to Miss Mattie V. Ellis, of Hawkinsville...

Dr. C. E. Clarke returned on Monday from Texas, where he moved with his family last December...

Johnnie Peterson, son of M. D. Peterson, aged twelve years and three months died of pneumonia at five minutes after three O'clock on the evening of the 15th of May, 1877...

Vol. 11, #24, Thursday Morning, 14 Jun.1877:

None noted.

Vol. 11, #25, Thursday Morning, 21 Jun.1877:

Mr. Sam Epstein died in Savannah on Wednesday morning of last week. He was a brother of Mr. S. J. Epstein, of Hawkinsville, who went to Savannah to attend the burial ceremonies.

Col. Stiles, the well known cotton buyer in Hawkinsville, received a telegram on Thursday last announcing the sudden death of his brother, Capt. George W. Stiles, of Savannah, at eleven O'clock on that day. Col. Stiles left for Savannah immediately to attend the funeral of his brother.

The Savannah News makes the following mention of the death of Capt. Stiles: He was about forty-eight years of age, and was unmarried, but leaves a mother and brothers and sisters, besides a large circle of friends, to mourn his loss.

Vol. 11, #26, Thursday Morning, 28 Jun.1877:

Mr. Joseph Haskins, our good old friend and honest fellow-citizen, died a few days ago at his home on the east side of the river, in this county...

Mrs. Sarah Williams, wife of R. F. Williams, of Brunswick, died at the residence of Dr. M. T. Fort, in Dodge County, on the 16th inst.

The Fort Valley Mirror announces the death of Mr. J. G. Visscher, of that place, on the 16th inst., aged about 60 years.

Mr. Richard E. Lindsay, of Dooly County, died at the home of his nephew, near Hawkinsville, on Monday morning last, after a long illness. Mr. Lindsay had been in declining health for several months, and some weeks ago he left his home in Dooly and came down to Hawkinsville to be convenient to treatment from his physicians. He continued to weaken under his disease and on Monday morning, the 25th inst., he passed away calmly and peacefully... Mr. Lindsay was an old citizen of Pulaski, and was raised in the county, but some years ago moved to Dooly... The remains were taken on Tuesday to Harmony Church for interment.

Vol. 11, #27, Thursday Morning, 5 Jul.1877:

This issue contained only one page of legal notices.

Vol. 11, #28, Thursday Morning, 12 Jul.1877:

Tribute of Respect. Pulaski Chapter, No. 20, R.A.M., Hawkinsville, 6 Jul.1877. Jehovah in His great wisdom, has called and taken up to Himself a loved and revered companion, Needham W. Collier. Companion Collier was born in Jefferson County, GA on December 31st 1808, and died May 23d, 1877 in Hawkinsville, Pulaski County, GA. He came to Pulaski County in the year 1826, where, loved and respected, he lived a life of usefulness... A member of the Blue Lodge at old Hartford, across the river, before Hawkinsville existed or was thought of; the first man ever made a Mason in Pulaski County; for years the Chaplain of the Blue Lodge here; one of the Charter members of our loved chapter; the Secretary of and indefatigable worker for the chapter...

Tribute of Respect. Adopted by the Forest Sabbath School, Vienna Circuit, Dooly County, GA, July 8, 1877. Whereas, Almighty God has in His Providence removed from our midst our much beloved teacher and colaborer, Jordan F. Harvard, who died suddenly on the 2d inst., aged 62 years...

Tribute of Respect. Aural Lodge, No. 239, F.& A.M., Mt. Vernon, GA, June 23, 1877. At a regular meeting of Aural Lodge, held on the ___day of May, a committee was appointed to express the heartfelt sorrow of this Lodge at the sad bereavement we have sustained in the loss of our worthy brother, Alexander Peterson...

Married, on last Sunday by Reuben Reynolds, Esq., Col. Brink Statham to Miss Mary Odom, all of Wilcox County.

We regret to learn of the death of Mr. Jordan F. Harvard, a very highly esteemed and useful citizen of Dooly County... Mr. Harvard lived in the second district of Dooly, in the neighborhood of Byromville, and his death will be a loss to the community.

Vol. 11, #29, Thursday Morning, 19 Jul.1877:

Mr. John Sanders, aged about sixty-five years, and a class leader in the Methodist Church for several years, died near Twiggsville, Twiggs County, on the 2d inst. He died within a half mile of where he was born.

Gen. O. C. Horne, leaves us today for a visit to his son in Cuthbert, where he will join Mrs. H. It is their custom to make annual visits to their son at Cuthbert and their daughter, Mrs. Stephen W. Mitchell, at Montgomery, Alabama...

Married, at the residence of Mr. George W. Turner, on the evening of the 12th inst., by Rev. Larkin Joiner, Mr. John J. Taylor, Jr., to Miss Mattie Dewitt, all of Pulaski.

The Perry Home Journal reports the following deaths in Houston County: Mr. Jacob W. Bason, died at his home near York Tuesday, June 27th, aged 82 years. Next to Rev. James Dunwoody he was the oldest citizen of our county. He was the father of Mr. I. R. Bason, formerly of Perry. Mr. William Maddox also died at Mr. Brantley's near York, some two weeks ago, after a long and painful illness. He was over sixty years of age.

Vol. 11, #30, Thursday Morning, 26 Jul.1877:

It is our sad duty to announce the death, at three O'clock on Sunday morning last, of Mrs. Sarah A. Beverly, wife of Mr. John R. Beverly, who has been connected with the Dispatch since August, 1875... Mrs. Beverly was a member of the Baptist Church in this place, having transferred her letter of membership from the church at Barnesville, GA... The remains were buried on Sunday afternoon in Orange Hill Cemetery, the funderal services being conducted at the grave by Rev. George R. McCall, pastor of the Baptist Church...

Vol. 11, #31, Thursday Morning, 2 Aug.1877:

Tribute of Respect. Millwood Lodge, No. 198, F.& A.M., June 28, 1877. Brother Rich Lindsay was called from the Lodge below to the Great Lodge above on the 25th of June 1877, at the home of his nephew, Crawford Lindsay, in the vicinity of Hawkinsville...

The friends and acquaintances of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Holleman and family are requested to attend the funeral of their infant daughter, Mary Virginia, at the cemetery at six O'clock P.M. this (Wednesday) evening.

Mr. Alfred Burnham, an aged citizen of Dodge County, died at his home near Copeland on Monday night, July 23d.

The many friends of Mr. Charlie McDonald, formerly a citizen of Hawkinsville, will regret to learn of his death, at Spalding, Macon County, on Monday, 23d ult. He was brother and assistant teacher to Prof. M. M. McDonald, of Spalding Seminary...

Married, at the residence of the bride's mother, at Eureka, on the evening of the 24th ult., by Rev. Larkin Joiner, Mr. Richard Singletary to Miss Deffie Lindsay, All of Dooly. Also by the same, at the residence of Mrs. Frances Mashburn, in Dooly County, on the 19th ult., Mr. Andrew J. Mashburn and Miss Orianna Lock.

A sad and fatal mistake was made on Monday evening last in administering to the little babe (Mary Virginia) of Mr. William S. Holleman, a dose of morphine that had been prepared by the physician for the mother of the infant... The infant lived for twenty-nine hours and expired.

Tribute of Respect. Lancaster Grange, No. 594, Patrons of Husbandry, Pulaski County, GA, 30 Jul.1877. Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God to call from earth one of our best Patrons, Brother Andrew Hamilton Grace, who met his

untimely death by accidental discharge of a gun in his hands while sporting on the evening of the 29th day of March, 1877...

Vol. 11, #32, Thursday Morning, 9 Aug.1877:

The Telegraph and Messenger announces the death of Mr. Noah Cloud, of Crawford County. He was a member of the 41st Georgia Regiment, and served with gallentry from the beginning to the close of the war. He was about thirty-five years of age at the time of his death.

The Fort Valley Mirror announces the death, on the 20th ult., of Mr. John S. Lee, an old and highly respected citizen of Crawford County.

Vol. 11, #33, Thursday Morning, 16 Aug.1877:

Willie, infant son of J. D. and L. A. Mercer, of Pulaski County, died July 30, 1877, aged one year and 23 days... Friend.

The Fort Valley Mirror announces the death of Col. David M. Brown, at his home near Hayneville, Houston County, on Sunday, 5th inst. He had always manifested a lively interest in the educational affairs of his county, and was County School Commissioner for many years. He was one of the best men in the county, and his loss will be felt in the community where he resided.

Tribute of Respect. Eastern Light Lodge, No. 200, F.A.M. , July 26, 1877. Brother Alfred Burnham was called from the Lodge below to the Grand Lodge above on the 25th July 1877. He was born in Telfair County, GA, May the 3d, 1809; was 68 years, 2 months and 22 days old...

Vol. 11, #34, Thursday Morning, 23 Aug.1877:

Obituary. Died on Sunday, August 19, 1877, Josiah Warren Mitchell, son of James B. and M. O. Mitchell, aged two years, seven months and twenty days... R.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Capt. L. L. Williams, by Daniel McLean, Esq., Mr. Jasper N. Rawlins to Miss Mary E. Williams. All of Telfair County, GA. J.W.C.

Two little girls, aged seven years, twin children of Mr. James Jones, of this county, died, one on Sunday 12th inst., and the other on Monday following... On Tuesday the little twins were placed in one coffin and buried in the same grave.

We clip the following items from the Houston Home Journal, of the 17th instant... Mrs. John Avera died suddenly at the residence of her husband in Houston County, Tuesday night. She had been ailing for several days, but ate supper as usual. She dropped dead about nine O'clock, it is suppose from heart disease...

Vol. 11, #35, Thursday Morning, 30 Aug.1877:

None noted.

Vol. 11, #36, Thursday Morning, 6 Sep.1877:

Tribute of Respect. Laurens Hill Lodge, No. 185, F.& A.M., Laurens Hill, GA., Aug.14,1877. It has again pleased the Almight giver of all good to remove from our midst one of our craftsmen, brother William Haskins, who departed this life May 12, 1877, after a protracted and painful illness...

Mr. Martin Livingston, one of the oldest men in Dodge County, died in Eastman one day last week, aged upward of ninety years.

Hon. Reason Paulk, of Irwin County, died very suddenly, it is supposed of heart disease, on Thursday last... The deceased was a very popular and useful man in his county, and represented his people one or two terms in the Legislature...

Mr. Thomas Daniel, aged about twenty-six years, died of consumption on Monday evening last at the residence of his brother-in-law, Hon. H. H. Whitfield, in this place. The deceased was a son of Mr. James S. Daniel, who died in Hawkinsville about the year 1866. The funeral ceremonies took place on Tuesday evening at Orange Hill Cemetery.

Vol. 11, #37, Thursday Morning, 13 Sep.1877:

Mrs. W. L. Holt, of this county, after a brief illness of only two days, died on Sunday last.

Died, at the residence of his grand-father, Perry Neal, in Pulaski County, Sept. 1, 1877, little Tommie, only son of F. A. & Mollie E. Neal, aged two years, four months and twenty-three days... Uncle.

The Houston Home Journal of the 31st ult., publishes the following: Dr. J. W. Duffie, died in a negro house at Perry last Friday, penniless and completely broken down in health and character. Several years previous to the war he graduated with honor at Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia...

Vol. 11, #38, Thursday Morning, 20 Sep.1877:

A Dooly County Man in Texas, Plano, Collins County, TX, Sept. 5, 1877. Editor Hawkinsville Dispatch (description of that county). signed: M. T. Gulledge.

Little George Engram, son of Mr. Frank Engram, of this county, died one day last week after a short illness.

Mr. John Barnes, of this county, died of congestion at the residence of his step-father, Mr. R. S. Mauldin, on Sunday last.

Death of a Stranger. He Dies in Hawkinsville - A Native of Ireland - No Relatives in America. On Saturday evening last, Mr. Robert Fleming died at the boarding house of Mrs. Hudspeth, in this place. As nearly as could be ascertained Mr. Fleming was between sixty and seventy years of age. The remains were decently interred in Orange Hill Cemetery on Sunday morning last. Rev. A. M. Williams conducted religious services.

An Epidemic of Marriages in Pulaski: On the evening of the 13th inst., at the residence of Dr. W. S. Johnson, by Rev. R. D. Holton, Mr. William L. Hendley and Miss Elizabeth C. Johnson; On the evening of the 13th inst., by Rev. George R. McCall, Mr. John Newman to Miss Emma Love; On the evening of the same date (13th inst.), by Elder John Churchwell, Mr. Edward A. Pollock to Mrs. Sarah Pipkin; and on the evening of the 6th inst., by Elder John Churchwell, Mr. John Dollar, of Pulaski, to Miss Julia Moore, of Wilcox.

Mr. C. A. Love, (or Shenk, as he is familiarly called by the boys,) returned from Lake Jesup, Florida to Hawkinsville a few days ago. He has been sojouning in Orange County, Florida since the fall of 1875...

Cochran sustained a serious loss in the death of a substantial business man and popular citizen, Mr. William Wade, on the night of the 10th of September 1877. He had been honored by his fellow citizens with the office of Mayor of the town on different occasions, and was regarded as a merchant of fore-sight and integrity. Mr. Wade died of typhoid fever, after an illness of about eight weeks, leaving a young family and many friends to mourn his death.

Vol. 11, #39, Thursday Morning, 27 Sep.1877:

Little Aaron, son of Henry and Lou Waterman, died on Saturday last of croup, aged about fifteen months. The remains were carried to Macon on Monday for interment.

Vol. 11, #40, Thursday Morning, 4 Oct.1877:

Married, on the 20th September, by the Rev. W. M. C. Conley, Mr. Redden D. Rawlins, of Telfair County, to Miss Mary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Studstill, of Dodge County.

Vol. 11, #41, Thursday Morning, 11 Oct.1877:

Mr. Richard S. Farr, an old citizen living near Hayneville, Houston County, died on Sunday last and was buried on Monday.

Mr. C. T. Lane and wife, of this county, have been married seven years, during which time six children were born unto them, and sad to relate, all the precious little ones died under two years of age. The last, Ava, a sweet little babe, age nine months, died of congestion of the brain, on Monday, October 1, 1877... J.W.C.

Vol. 11, #42, Thursday Morning, 18 Oct.1877:

Judge E. J. Folds, an aged and prominent citizen of Dooly County, died suddenly on Friday, 12th inst., of rheumatism of the heart. He was one of the most useful and honored citizens of the county, and his loss to the community in which he lived will be sadly felt and greatly deplored. The remains were interred in the cemetery at Mt. Olive Church in Dooly County, on Saturday last with Masonic honors, the funeral discourse being preached by Rev. M. McConald.

We are pained to chronicle the sad announcement of the death of Mr. Edward W. Fokes, who died in Hawkinsville on the 15th inst., at 8 O'clock, P.M., from congestion of the bowels. For several years Mr. Fokes has resided in Hawkinsville, making his home at the residence of his nephew, Mr. James E. Fokes...

Married, at the residence of Mr. L. B. Wilcox, in Pulaski County, by Levi Harrell, J.P., on the 9th inst., Mr. C. B. Brown, of Chancey, Dodge County, and Miss Johnnie E. Ryals, of Telfair County.

Houston Association: This body met with the Baptist Church in this place on last Saturday, and was organized by electing Rev. M. Owens of Dooly County, moderator, and J. J. Jelks of Hawkinsville, clerk... (Note: This column approximately 12" long.)

Died, at McRae, Telfair County, GA., on the 5th day of October 1877, A. R. Wynne, in the 35th year of his age... He left a devoted wife and five small children... A. Friend.

Died, in Cochran, GA., October 1, 1877, David H. Overby, youngest son of J. L. and E. A. Overby, age three years and four months... B.

Vol. 11, #44, Thursday Morning, 1 Nov.1877:

Mr. Franklin Jeter, of Macon, and Mrs. Bessie J. Riley, of Houston County, were married on Thursday last.

Married, at the Hudspeth House, in Hawkinsville, on the morning of the 28th ult., by Rev. E. A. Burch, Mr. John R. Beverly to Mrs. Sarah U. Bolan, all of Hawkinsville...

Died, in Hawkinsville, GA., October 17, 1877, Lizzie, infant daughter of Alfred I. and Susan F. Davies, aged 2 years, 10 months and six days... A.M.W.

Vol. 11, #45, Thursday Morning, 8 Nov.1877:

None noted.

Vol. 11, #46, Thursday Morning, 15 Nov.1877:

Mrs. Mary A. Fleming, after a long and painful illness, departed this life at the residence of her husband, Mr. James Fleming, near Hawkinsville, on Sunday evening, about seven O'clock. The burial took place at the cemetery in town on Monday afternoon. Mrs Fleming was a sister of Messrs. Fed and D. B. Leonard, of Dooly, and was an ameable and excellent lady.

Married, on November 6, 1877, by G. W. Hendricks, N.R., Mr. Ruffin Dennard and Miss Mary Eliza Coley, all of Pulaski County. And, by Rev. E. Godwin, on the 8th inst., Mr. Robert Crumply and Miss Ella Love, all of Pulaski County. (Compiler's Note: This was my great uncle Robert Crumpler who married Mary Love on 8 Nov.1877, see page 109 of Marriage Records of Pulaski Co, GA, Book marked Dec.1875 to Sep.1885.)

Our old fellow citizen, Dr. Charles E. Clarke, returned to Hawkinsville on Saturday from Ellis County, Texas, where he has been living for the last year or two. The Doctor came back to see his old friends last summer, but remained only about a couple of days...

Vol. 11, #47, Thursday Morning, 22 Nov.1877:

None noted.

Vol. 11, #48, Thursday Morning, 29 Nov.1877:

None noted.

Vol. 11, #49, Thursday Morning, 6 Dec.1877:

We learn of the death, on Sunday night last, of Mr. James F. Daly, of Dooly County. Every person who has attended Dooly Superior Court at Vienna for several years past remembers the active Bailiff who served in the court room and called witnesses...

Married, at the residence of the bride's father in Laurens County, on the evening of the 22nd of November, by Rev. W. M. Williamson, Mr. R. W. Browning to Miss Sarah Jane Grinstead.

Vol. 11, #50, Thursday Morning, 13 Dec.1877:

Died, in Dodge County, GA., on the 15th ult., little Charles Aden, only child of W. G. and S. A. Phillips, aged 2 years, 1 month and 9 days.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, in Bibb County, GA., on the evening of the 28th ult., by Rev. George R. McCall, of Hawkinsville, Mr. Henry P. Cowan, of Pulaski, to Miss L. W. Woolfolk, of Bibb County.

Married, on the 4th inst., Mr. John H. Ryals to Miss Christian F. McRae, daughter of Major Daniel F. McRae, all of Telfair County. The ceremony was

performed at the residence of the bride's father by Rev. J. E. Sentell, Presiding Elder of the Dublin District...

Married, by Dr. J. W. Tucker, on the 9th inst., Mr. Ephraim Evans, of Dodge County, to Miss T. E. Willcox, of Telfair County.

Married, at the residence of the bride's mother, in Wilcox County, on Thursday evening, the 6th inst., by Elder John Churchwell, Mr. Mark Miller to Miss Loretta Bruce, of Wilcox County.

Vol. 11, #51, Thursday Morning, 20 Dec.1877:

Mrs. Virginia Perry, wife of Capt. L. C. Perry of Laurens County, died in Dublin on the 10th inst.

A very happy little party left Hawkinsville yesterday (Tuesday) morning with Mr. C. P. Brown, to witness his marriage to Miss Nellie Sperry, of Marshallville, this (Wednesday) morning at nine O'clock...

Tribute of Respect by Lumber City Lodge, No. 199, F.A.M. Brother Duncan McArthur was born January 16, 1806, and died October 17, 1877, aged 71 years, 9 months and 1 day. He joined the Methodist Church in 1830; was married to Miss. Elizabeth McLauchlin, February 22, 1827... (left wife and children.)

Vol. 11, #52, Thursday Morning, 27 Dec.1877:

This issue, because of Christmas, contained only one page of legal notices.

Vol. 12, #1, Thursday Morning, 3 Jan.1878:

We are exceedingly pained to learn a few days ago of the death of Capt. Charles E. Carnes, Editor of the Irwinton Southerner and Appeal. He died of pneumonia at his residence in Irwinton, GA...

Mr. Richard L. Stapler and family of Hawkinsville left on Tuesday last for Hamilton County, Florida, where, in future, they will reside. Mr. Stapler's mother-in-law, Mrs. Rawls, and Miss Clifford Rawls, have also gone with him to Florida. They carry with them the best wishes of our community...

Married, at the residence of the bride's father in Telfair County, on the evening of the 25th of December, 1877, by W. D. Bussey, Mr. L. W. Towns to Miss Martha Anderson, all of said county.

Married, on the 27th of December, 1877, at the residence of the bride's father, by Dr. J. W. Tucker, Mr. Samuel Powell and Miss Martha Norris, all of Dodge County... And on the 30th of December, 1877, at the residence of Mr. Y. B. Keen, by Dr. J. W. Tucker, Mr. Joseph E. Keen, of Dodge County and Miss Nancy Mattox, of Laurens County.

Died, at Vienna, GA., December 18, 1877, aged 11 months, little Russel Baskin, infant son of Russel and Lizzie Kellam.

In Memorian, of James Centino Wood, only child of H. O. and M. A. M. Wood, and eldest grandson of Mr. and Mrs. C. Hudspeth, of Hawkinsville... M. A. M. Wood.

Vol. 12, #2, Thursday Morning, 10 Jan.1878:

Mr. John Turner died at his home in Pulaski County on Tuesday night, January 3, 1878, after a very long and painful illness... The deceased was an old citizen of Pulaski... (left Will.)

Dr. Moses Tomlinson Fort died at his home fourteen miles below Hawkinsville on Friday afternoon, January 4, 1878, aged about fifty-one years. Dr. Fort was for many years a citizen and practicing physician of Hawkinsville, and there are many who will regret the announcement of his death and feel a sympathy for the stricken widow and eight children. The deceased was born and raised in Milledgeville in this state, but moved to Pulaski County about twenty-five years ago, and was married in this county...

Married, at the residence of Mr. R. H. Vaughn, in Pulaski County, on the evening of January 3, 1878, by Rev. G. W. McRanie, Mr. Calvin J. Pope, of Wilcox, to Miss Eliza Nettles, of Pulaski.

On the evening of the 20th ult., Mr. W. K. Bussey, of Chauncey, GA., was married to Miss Mary E. Clarke, at the residence of Mrs. Harlow Clarke. All of Dodge County. Rev. J. E. Sentell officiated.

Died, near Hawkinsville, on the morning of the 16th of December 1877, of pneumonia, Mrs. Rebecca Whaley, aged about seventy-four years, and relict of the late Major John K. Whaley. Mrs. Whaley moved with her husband from Wilkinson County to this section during its earliest settlement by the whites, and excepting a few years' residence in Florida, had been living in Pulaski and adjoining counties for a period of upward of forty years. Her illness was of brief duration, and she passed away peacefully and quitely at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Cynthia Tippett, and will be remembered by her relatives for many amiable traits and christian virtures.

Vol. 12, #3, Thursday Morning, 17 Jan.1878:

Died, near Millwood, Dooly County, GA, on the 7th inst., Mrs. Winnie Kemp, wife of Mr. Mark Kemp.

On Tuesday, the 8th inst., Miss Sarah A. Dennard, daughter of Mr. John Dennard, of Wilcox County, was burned to death under peculiarly sad circumstances. She had been afflected with epilepsy from infancy, and about ten O'clock on the morning of the 8th inst., while suffering from an attack, her clothing accidentally caught on fire. Before the flames could be extinguished she was so severely burned that death resulted in about seven hours.
A Melancholy Life ended by a Pistol Ball. News reached Hawkinsville on

A Melancholy Life ended by a Pistol Ball. News reached Hawkinsville on Thursday last, that on the night previous, Mr. Thomas Bannon had committed suicide in Dublin... Thomas Bannon was for many years a barber in Hawkinsville... About a year ago he moved from Hawkinsville to Cochran and from there to Dublin. (This article give a historical account of his early life - he was with a Gen. Walker, who invaded Nicaragua, etc.)

Obituary. Departed this life in Pulaski County, GA, near Macedonia Church, on the 22nd of December, 1877, Mrs. Mary J. Hosford, wife of C. C. Hosford, and a daughter of James Graham, aged 16 years, 3 months, and 21 days. She had been married 1 year, 2 months, and 13 days, and leaves an infant 7 weeks old... Friend.

Vol. 12, #4, Thursday Morning, 24 Jan.1878:

Death of a Centenarian in Pulaski. The man who, at one hundred years of age, made and picked a bale of cotton, shingled a house, etc. In Pulaski County, Mr. William Rogers recently died, who, at the time of his death, was one hundred and eighteen years old. Up to a short time before his death he was very active and could do almost any kind of light labor. At the age of one hundred and eight he shingled a house and performed other acts which are surprising to relate. We have this information from a reliable gentlemen - Macon Telegraph and Messenger. The above is the brief announcement of the death of a man remarkable for his age in these days. Mr. Rogers died on Tuesday, the 8th of January, 1878. He was the stepfather of the wife of Mr. Jacob Louis, of this county, and during his entire life time in this section was esteemed as a strictly honest, upright citizen. A citizen of our county told us the other day that he had known Mr. Rogers for forty-three years, and that Mr. Rogers was very old man, with gray hair, when they became acquainted. Taking Mr. Rogers' own history of his life, and the incidents he remembers, together with what our oldest citizens know of him, he was probably about one hundred and ten years of age... Nothing is known of the ancestry of nationality of Mr. Rogers. In his early life time he was a sailor, and followed the seas for many years. Finally, as old age crept upon him, he abandoned a sailor's life, and took his abode upon land. When this part of Georgia was first settled, Mr. Rogers appeared amongst the people, and was then an old man. Verity he was "The old man of the sea." (Editor's Note: William Rodgers, age 80, and Edy, age 30 appear in 1860 census. He aged fast for the 1870 census shows William Rogers, age 100 born SC, and Eda, age 56. We can not identify him in the 1850 census, or prior censuses for Pulaski.)

Dr. Lewis W. Mobley, Representative of Dooly County in the last legislature, left Hawkinsville on Tuesday last with a view of locating in Texas... Dr. Mobley is a popular physician and a splendid citizen, and his many friends in Pulaski, as well as Dooly, regret exceedingly that he has determined upon emigrating to the west...

Died, in Dooly County, on the 4th of December, 1877, after a lingering illness of 51 days, Miss Mary L. Hayden, daughter of Isaac and Mary E. Hayden, aged 16 years and 28 days. Thus has passed away a mother's brightest hope.

Vol. 12, #5, Thursday Morning, 31 Jan.1878:

Houston County Items: We quote the following items from the Houston Home Journal... Mr. Bryant Bateman, an old and respected citizen of Houston County, died suddenly at his home in Byron late Sunday evening of apoplexy or heart disease. He has been merchandising in that place several years.

Vol. 12, #6, Thursday Morning, 7 Feb.1878:

Married, at the residence of the bride's mother, in Telfair County, on the evening of the 23d of January, 1878, by Rev. John Williamson, Mr. N. E. Doster, of Wilcox County, to Miss Nannie P. Wilcox, of Telfair.

Mr. Aaron Schlang left Monday for New York, where he goes to engage in business. His friend, Mr. Pate gave him a party.

Married, on the 31st of January, 1878, at the residence of the bride's father, James Mullin, Esq., at Chancey, GA, by the Rev. Father Bazin, of St. Joseph's Church, Macon, GA, Mr. Theodore V. Bussey to Miss Mary A. E. Mullin, both of Chancey, GA...

Vol. 12, #7, Thursday Morning, 14 Feb.1878:

Married, at the residence of Hon. Samuel D. Fuller, in Wilcox County, on Wednesday evening, January 30th, 1878, by Rev. James W. Mashburn, Mr. Stephen N. Mitchell to Miss Emma Fuller. By the same, on same date, at the residence of Mr. Wright Tomberlin, Mr. William McCall to Miss Celia S. Tomberlin. All of Wilcox County. Also at the residence of Mr. Samuel McCall, by Rev. D. E. Hunter, on the evening of the 7th of February, 1878, Mr. George C. Wilcox to Miss Mary McCall. All of Wilcox.

Vol. 12, #8, Thursday Morning, 21 Feb.1878:

Died, in Thomasville, GA, on the 24th of December 1877, Mrs. D. C. Daniel, of Pulaski County. Mrs. Daniel had been a sufferer for several years from cancer and was under treatment from an eminent physician of Thomasville at the time of her death. We are requested to state that her funeral will be preached at Midway Church, in this county, on the 3d Sunday in March.

Married: On the 31st ult., at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. William Pridgen, by L. Prescot, Mr. Robert Bishop and Miss Easter Pridgen, all of Irwin County; On the 10th inst., by Rev. R. A. Coleman, Mr. Jacob Young and Miss Margaret Pervis, all of Irwin County; and on the 3d inst., Mr. Henry Young and Miss Susan Mulkey, of Wilcox County, were married.

Vol. 12, #9, Thursday Morning, 28 Feb.1878:

Dr. W. S. Johnson, of Pulaski, has moved to Vienna, Dooly County, and will continue the practice of medicine.

Little Nona, aged three years, daughter of Capt. Thomas Henly, died about four o'clock on Thursday afternoon last, and was buried in Orange Hill Cemetery on the following day...

Died, in Hamilton County, Florida, on the 20th of February 1878, little Johnny Fennell, aged nine years, son of Patrick and Darkis Fennell.

Married, at the residence of Mrs. Lane, in Pulaski County, on the evening of the 20th inst., by Rev. A. M. Williams, Mr. Van Bell to Miss Sallie E. Powell, all of Hawkinsville...

Died, at her home near Drayton, Dooly County, on Wednesday, the 13th of February 1878, Mrs. Sallie Holland, wife of Mr. John A. Holland. The deceased was formerly Mrs. Sallie Dennis, a resident of this county and sister of Mrs. William J. Fountain.

Vol. 12, #10, Thursday Morning, 7 Mar.1878:

Mrs. Mary Lou Waterman, wife of Mr. Henry Waterman of Hawkinsville, died at the Lanier House in Macon, GA., at half-past ten o'clock on Saturday night, March 2d, 1878, aged thirty-six years and six months. Mrs. Waterman was a great sufferer from nervousness and general debility, and the grief occasioned by the death of her little boy last fall had a powerful effect upon her enfeebled system. The remains were interred in Oak Ridge Cemetery, Macon, GA. Five children are left to mourn the irreparable loss of a mother.

Married, by Mr. L. H. Harrell, on the 12th of February 1878, Mr. Turner Howell to Mrs. Susan Godoun, all of Pulaski County.

Mrs. Carlisle, wife of W. C. D. Carlisle, of Wilkinson, died last week, leaving a husband and two little children.

Died, in Houston County, on Sunday, the 24th February, 1878, Mrs. Easter Bass, in the sixty-seventh year of her age. She was the mother of the wife of Mr. G. J. Potts, at whose residence she departed this life...

Married, at the residence of the bride's mother, in Pulaski County, by Rev. Larkin Joiner, on the evening of the 27th of February 1878, Mr. John D. Tippett to Miss Ellen B. Scarborough.

Items from Twiggs & Wilkinson Counties (From the Irwinton Southerner): Mr. W. L. Blackshear, of Jeffersonville, died suddenly soon after eating a hearty supper last Sunday. He had left the house alone, and half an hour later he was found dead only a short distance from the house. He was about 45 years old and apparently in good health, and is supposed to have died of heart disease...

Vol. 12, #11, Thursday Morning, 14 Mar.1878:

The Irwinton Southerner reports the death on the 4th inst., of Ira Carswell,

aged 18 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Carswell, of Wilkinson County. Also that Mr. W. D. McArthur, of Wilkinson County, and Miss. Sabin Yaun (could be Yawn ?) of Dodge County, were married on the 21st ult.

Vol. 12, #12, Thursday Morning, 21 Mar.1878:

Historical Sketches by Col. W. W. Paine were published on page 2.

Married, in Pulaski County, March 10, 1878, by Rev. J. W. Domingos, Mr. Charles E. Taylor to Mrs. Mary J. Philips.

Hon. Micajah Johnson, died in Galveston, Texas, on the 9th of February, 1878, aged about 65 years. He moved from Pulaski County to Texas in 1853. Several years prior to his removal, Mr. Johnson represented Pulaski in the Legislature. He was a brother-in-law of Judge P. T. McGriff of this place, and will be remembered by quite a number of the old citizens of the county. He was one of the wealthiest and most influential citizens of Texas.

After a long suffering from paralysis Mr. J. M. Kibbee died at his home in Hawkinsville on Friday morning last, aged sixty-six years and ten days. On Saturday morning the business houses generally were closed, and a large funeral procession followed the remains to Orange Hill Cemetery. Rev. George R. McCall officiated at the grave and paid a suitable tribute to the life and memory of the deceased. John M. Kibbee was born at Newport, New Hampshire, February 5th, 1812, and came to Georgia in 1829 - locating at Macon, where he engaged in business, and became well known... Knowing that the end was near, his son, Hon. C. C. Kibbee, asked leave of absence from Dooly Superior Court last week, and remained at the bedside of his father until relieved by the hand of death on Friday morning, about ten o'clock.

The Houston Home Journal, of Friday last, has the following: We are pained to learn that Mr. James Johnson, a young man some twenty-eight years old and a son of Mr. Bushrod Johnson, of Henderson, was accidentally drowned at Mr. R. D. Brown's mill in Houston County, one day last week... Mr. Johnson was seized with an epileptic fit, to which he was subject, and falling into the creek, was drowned before assistance could be rendered... Mr. Johnson was a single man...

Vol. 12, #13, Thursday Morning, 28 Mar.1878:

Dr. W. A. Mathews, a prominent and well known citizen of Fort Valley, died on the 20th inst.

Dr. L. W. Mobley, returns from Texas. No place like old Georgia. Did not take family and plans to remain in Dooly County, GA.

We learn that a difficulty occurred at Drayton, Dooly County, GA on Saturday last, which resulted in the death of Mr. B. G. Morgan and the serious wounding of Mr. Eugene Wallace...

Mr. Robert B. Engram, one of the oldest citizens of Houston County, died on the 20th inst.

Vol. 12, #14, Thursday Morning, 4 Apr.1878:

Mrs. Nanch Kinchen, an estimable christian lady, died at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. H. S. Taylor, in this place, on Monday last, aged about 80 years.

Mrs. Jane Player, wife of William Player, died in Wilcox County on Sunday night, March 24th 1878, aged sixt years.

Mrs. Katie Rycroft, of Telfair, died on Saturday, March 30, 1878, aged about seventy years.

Married, on the evening of the 28th of March 1878, at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. J. W. Mashburn, Mr. M. C. Akin to Miss Sibbie C. Hunter, all of Wilcox County.

Vol. 12, #15, Thursday Morning, 11 Apr.1878:

An infant child of Rev. George R. and Mrs. McCall, of this place, was interred at Orange Hill Cemetery on Thursday last.

Mrs. Georgia Daniel, wife of Mr. John J. Daniel, died on Monday morning last, and the remains were buried in Orange Hill Cemetery, in Hawkinsville, on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Daniel was the daughter of Mr. E. O. Buff, of this county. The grave was made by the side of that of her sister, Mrs. Laura Daniel, who, also, as the wife of Mr. J. J. Daniel, died in 1871. The bereaved husband and parents have the sympathy of the community.

Mr. Robert Argo died of consumption at his house in Hawkinsville on Tuesday morning, after a long and painful confinement to his bed. Mr. Argo was a member of Capt. O. C. Horne's company that left Hawkinsville in the early part of 1861, and was known as Co. G., in the Tenth Georgia Infantry. The old comrades of Mr. Argo say that he was as good a soldier as ever shouldered a gun.

Died, in Pulaski County, March 22, 1878, Mrs. N. S. Dixon, aged 42 years, 3 months and 1 day.

Vol. 12, #16, Thursday Morning, 18 Apr.1878:

The Berrien County News says: Miss Mary Barton, daughter of Mr. A. J. Barton, of Irwin County, was instantly killed last Tuesday by a falling tree. She was assisting her father in getting boards for Mr. John W. Fletcher...

Mr. John Chancey and Miss Mary E. Taylor were married at the residence of Mrs. Catherine Farr, in Houston County, on Tuesday, 9th inst. The ceremony was performed by B. H. Pitts, Esq.

Died, in Houston County, on Saturday last, little Gussie McCormick, son of Mrs. C. A. McCormick, aged 12 years. The remains were buried in Orange Hill Cemetery, in this place, on Sunday.

We regret to learn of the death of Mr. H. B. Felder, of Dooly County, on Tuesday last, after a short illness. Mr. Felder was one of the most prominent citizens of Dooly. The remains will be buried in Perry to-morrow (Thursday) at one o'clock.

Vol. 12, #17, Thursday Morning, 25 Apr.1878:

Houston County Items: ...Mr. Jeremiah Murray, one of the pioneer citizens of Houston County, died suddenly in his yard on the 2nd inst. He had been in his usual health, ate his breakfast, and was preparing to go to Fort Valley, when he fell and expired in a few minutes. He was in his 74th year and had for many years been a consistent member of Fellowship Primitive Baptist Church.

Died, at the residence of Mr. Warren Paulk, in Irwin County, on the night of the 6th of April 1878, Mrs. Honore Brown, aged about seventy years. Also, at the residence of Mr. Archibald McMilken, in Irwin County, on Sunday, the 7th inst., Mrs. Mary Tucker, mother of Rev. Jacob Young. Aged about eighty years.

Obituary: On the 6th of April, 1878, the imperial brightness of Heaven was made more lustrous by receiving one more glittering and pure gem, Sister Elizabeth H., wife of Brother Isaac Horne, of Pulaski County, after a brief illness caused from heart disease, closed her eyelids in that balmy sleep that knows no end. She was born October 10, 1821, was married on the 19th of March 1840, and connected herself with the Baptist Church August 1st, 1843, and at the time of her death was a member of Salem Church... (She left a husband and children). R., Cochran, GA, April 20th 1878.

Vol. 12, #18, Thursday Morning, 2 May 1878:

The Montezuma Weekly announces the death of Mrs. Henry Angley, daughter of John E. Lilly, Esq., clerk of Superior Court of Dooly County.

The Perry Journal announced the death, at Powersville, in Houston County, on the 22d of April, of Mr. John D. Lamar, father of the present postmaster at Perry. The deceased was born in South Carolina in 1797, and was for many years a merchant in Milledgeville. He had been a citizen of Houston County for about twelve years. He was a Uncle of Judge W. L. Grice, of Perry.

Tribute of Respect, Millwood Lodge, No. 198, F.& A.M. The Great Architect of the Universe has seen proper to remove from our midst our much beloved brother, H. B. Felder, who departed this life April 16th, 1878...

Tribute of Respect, Western Light Lodge, No. 272, F.& A.M., Apr. 25, 1878. William Player was born in South Carolina on the 30th day of September 1803, and died in Wilcox County, GA, on the 23d day of April 1878... And also absented him from his dear children, who have recently lost their dear mother

and are left alone to lament the loss of both... (Compiler's Note. See Vol. 12, #14, for death of his wife.)

Vol. 12, #19, Thursday Morning, 9 May 1878:

Mrs. W. D. Roberts, a most lovely and amiable lady of Perry, died on the 27th ult.

Married, at the residence of Mr. T. L. Carruthers, in this place, by A. C. Pipkin, J.P., on Saturday last, Mr. Jasper Putch and Miss S. E. Harrell.

Information Wanted, of John, James or William Carruthers, one or all of whom settled in the vicinity of Hawkinsville between the years 1820 and 1830. Any old resident, who knew either of them, will confer a great favor on the undersigned by communicating with him immediately, stating all he knows regarding the history, prior or subsequent, to their settlement about Hawkinsville, where they last resided, names of their families, etc. Any full information regarding the above gentlemen will not only be thankfully received, but will be liberally paid for. Please address as early as practicable, Joseph C. Pittman, Wilmington, N.C.

Vol. 12, #20, Thursday Morning, 16 May 1878:

Mrs. Nancy Coppage, mother-in-law of Hon. James M. Buchan, of Eastman, died at her residence near Cochran on the 6th inst., aged about 70 years.

About five o'clock on Sunday evening last a sad and shocking casualty occurred in our midst, Mr. D. P. Searing, a painter employed on a job of work for Dr. W. N. Fleetwood and Mr. M. O'Brien were taking a stroll on the river a short distance below town. Mr. Searing discovered some magnolia blooms and at one commenced climbing the tree after them... He fell from the tree and died 3 hours later. From papers found on the person of deceased, we learn that he left New York City, where he has a wife and two children, on the 9th day of October last. He arrived in Hawkinsville about the 22nd of January... Mr. Searing was a Mason in good standing and had a certificate of membership from Chapter No. 238, of New York City... The remains were decently interred in Orange Hill Cemeter on Monday evening by Mt. Hope Lodge, No. 9, F.& A.M.

Vol. 12, #21, Thursday Morning, 23 May 1878:

The Berrien County News announces the death of Robert Cooper, of Irwin County. Mr. Cooper was about one hundred years of age and was father-in-law of Mr. George Young, of Irwin.

Vol. 12, #22, Thursday Morning, 30 May 1878:

Mrs. Mary Holt died at her residence in Wilcox County on Sunday last. She had been in ill health for some time and was aged about 67 years.

(Note: The following item was lined-out by our compiler with the remark,

"Never Happened". Never-the-less, without reference to it being a hoax, it was actually copied from the Sumter Republican. We, the Editors, feel it should be repeated here). A Strange Incident - The Sumter Republican says: Mr. J. B. Scott, who recently returned from Wilcox County, reports the following circumstance, which is so remarkable that we think it deserves publication. Mr. Player, once a resident of Houston County, but ten or more years has lived in Wilcox, died while he was there and was laid out in the usual maner. After being dead six or more hours - his family being in the room greatly distressed, silently weeping and watching - he rose up in his grave clothes and conversed several minutes, then fell back dead.

On the 21st inst., Mr. G. F. Harrison and Miss Mollie Bishop, daughter of Hom. James Bishop, all of Eastman, were married by Rev. E. M. Whiting.

Rev. James A. Spivey, late of Houston County, writes a letter from Dallas, Texas, May 13th, to the Perry Home Journal, stating he has found the land of milk and honey. He also comments on the recent visit of Dr. Mobley, of Dooly County (who decided to remain in Georgia).

Vol. 12, #23, Thursday Morning, 6 Jun.1878:

Married, on the morning of the 30th ult., by Rev. George R. McCall, at the residence of Mr. Carey Shannon, of Twiggs County, Mr. John Faulk, of Houston County to Miss Virginia C. Shannon, of Twiggs.

(Note: This issue, under title "Truth Stranger Than Fiction", repeated the story of last issue, regarding the body of Mr. Player, of Wilcox County, after being dressed out for burial for six hours, rises and converses with friends and relative. Again our compiler has marked thru the story, "Not so, untrue, a hoax".)

Mr. John Young, of Coffee County, was found dead near the Irwin line on Friday, May 24th. My informant states that Mr. Young left home to visit Mr. George Pridgen on Friday before, and when found was partly devoured by vultures and hogs. He was subject to fits and was found dead just one week from the time he was last seen. G.E.McC.

Vol. 12, #24, Thursday Morning, 13 Jun.1878:

The hopeless illness of Mr. William H. Hendley on Thursday morning last, when announced upon the streets, caused much sadness to his many friends... On Thursday realizing that he could not live long, Mr. Hendley called around his bedside his friends and family and made a short will - giving directions as to how certain property should be disposed of. He was worth probably between twenty and thirty thousand dollars, and was in debt but little, if any. He wanted his Gordon plantation, some twelve hundred acres on Big Creek, in Dooly County, for his two boys, Joe & Clayton. The Crozier plantation he gave to his niece, Miss Gussie Watkins. His home place, residence and four or five hundred acres, he bequested to his wife. The Baskin plantation, embracing several hundred acres, and now under charge of Mr. E. O. Buff, was left to be

used for the family. Much other property - real estate, stock, notes, money, etc., was left undisposed of... Mr. Hendley was about forty-six years of age. He was born in Pulaski County, now a part of Dodge County. He leaves one brother, Mr. J. D. Hendley, living at Pollard, Alabama and several married sisters living in Dodge County... On Friday afternoon, at five o'clock, the remains were conveyed to the cemetery in Hawkinsville (Orange Hill) and buried by members of Anderson Lodge, I.O.O.F., and were followed to their last resting place by one of the largest processions of citizens witnessed for a longtime. Religious services at the grave were conducted by Rev. George R. McCall...

Vol. 12, #25, Thursday Morning, 20 Jun.1878:

Died, in Cuthbert., on Saturday morning, 15th inst., Mrs. Lottie Horne, wife of Capt. O. A. Horne, son of Gen. O. C. Horne, of Hawkinsville.

Tribute of Respect from Anderson Lodge, No. 24, I.O.O.F. to William H. Hendley. Death has again singled out our brethren in the person of William H. Hendley, who passed away from time into the boundless hereafter on the afternoon of Thursday, the 6th day of June, 1878, and he now sleeps the sleep of death.

Tribute of Respect, No. 9, F.& A.M., Hawkinsville, GA, June 14, 1878... Daniel P. Seering, a member of Hiram Lodge No. 444, of New York City, who departed this life on the afternoon of the 12th of May last, by falling from a bay tree which he had climbed for the purpose of gathering flowers.

Vol. 12, #26, Thursday Morning, 27 Jun.1878:

Dr. R. H. Hightower, of Laurens County, was married to Miss Genie Williams, daughter of Capt. Thos. F. Williams, of Montgomery County, on the 13th inst.

Mr. Samuel Riley, son of Dr. S. A. Riley, of Hayneville, Houston County, died on Wednesday, 19th inst., aged about nineteen years.

A friend in Irwin County writes us concerning the death of M. Henderson, Sr., who departed this life on the 18th inst., at his residence in the second district of Irwin County... Mr. Henderson was about sixty-four years of age, and was a most consistent and upright citizen, and was highly respected by all the people who knew him...

Vol. 12, #27, Thursday Morning, 4 Jul.1878:

Because of the holiday, this issue consist of only one page of legal notices.

Vol. 12, #28, Thursday Morning, 11 Jul.1878:

Mr. Alston Wilson, aged eighty-two years, two months and eleven days, died in Wilcox County on the 28th of June, 1878. Mr. Wilson moved to this state from Wake County, North Carolina, about thirty-three years ago. He was an old settler in this section.

Mr. James Goodman, of Pulaski County, died at his home on the east side of the river, July 4, 1878.

Mr. Adam Bell, a native of England, died in Wilcox County on the 29th of June 1878, aged about fifty-three years. He held the office of constable, in Wilcox County, for many years.

Mr. George Brown died at Cochran on Sunday night last, July 7th, leaving a widow and four children.

The Generations of Alston Wilson. Mr. Alston Wilson, who died in Wilcox County on the 28th of June 1878, in his eighty-third year, was the ancestor of a large generation. He left living seven children, sixty-one grandchildren, and seventeen great-grandchildren...

Vol. 12, #29, Thursday Morning, 18 Jul.1878:

Mrs. Elizabeth Coleman died at the residence of her son, Andrew B. Coleman in Dodge County, July 10, 1878, aged about 85 years. Mrs. Coleman leaves many relatives and friends to mourn her loss.

Died, in Irwin County, at his residence, on the __day of __,1878, James Turner, venerable father of Rev. Elias Turner, and brother to Hon. Smith Turner, of Wilcox County, in the 78th year of his age... A very remarkable concidence in the history of Mr. Turner's family is that, in 1844, his father died in his 78th year, and in 1875 his brother died in his 78 year, and now that he has died in his 78th year is indeed singular. Mr. Turner has made Irwin County his home since 1827, and was loved, honored and respected by all who knew him... A. Friend.

Tribute of Respect, Millwood Lodge, No. 198, F.& A.M. Whereas it has pleased the Great Grand Master in His Wisdom to remove to the Lodge above our beloved brother William H. Hendley, therefore, be it resolved...

Vol. 12, #30, Thursday Morning, 25 Jul.1878:

None noted.

Vol. 12, #31, Thursday Morning, 1 Aug.1878:

Hon. James F. Robinson, of Laurens County, died of apoplexy on the 15th of July. He was elected to the Georgia State Senate in 1872.

Mrs. Elizabeth Coleman, aged eighty-five years, died at the residence of her son in Dodge County on the 10th of July. Mrs. Coleman had lived in Laurens County about sixty years. She was a member of the Baptist Church.

Died, in Wilcox County, on the 23d day of July 1878, Mrs. Sibbie Akin, wife of Mr. M. C. Akin and daughter of Rev. D. E. Hunter. The deceased had been married only about four months.

Married, on Sunday, July 21, 1878, by Rev. R. Pope, Mr. Blake Watson and Miss Lena Hoggsett, all of Wilcox County.

Obituary. Departed this life on the 8th of February 1878, Billy Stokes, son of J. M. Stokes, near Cochran, GA., aged 16 years and 10 days... W.

Vol. 12, #32, Thursday Morning, 8 Aug.1878:

Mr. Allen Busbee, an old citizen of Pulaski County, living in the vicinity of Blue Spring Church, died on Saturday night, August 3d, after an illness of thirty-three days of typhoid fever. Mr. Busbee was born in South Carolina, October 15, 1798, and was in the eighty-first year of his age. He moved from Houston to Pulaski County in 1854, and had been a member of the Primitive Baptist Church for fifty-three years.

Died, at Cochran, Ga., July 30, 1878, little Laura Ola, only daughter of B. F. and Lizzie Ryle, aged 14 months and 18 days... F.

Died, in Telfair County, July 24, 1878, with fever, Mr. John Johnston, aged 53 years. Mr. Johnston leaves a wife, three children and many friends to mourn his loss. A.L.R.

Vol. 12, #33, Thursday Morning, 15 Aug.1878:

Reminescences of Early Settlements on the Ocmulgee River. Incidents in the life of Fred Mobley.

Obituary. Mrs. Rebecca McLendon, whose maiden name was King, was born in Rockingham County, North Carolina, May 27th 1805, and died in Pulaski County, Ga., June 20th 1878. She made a profession of religion about the year 1825 or 26, and would have united with the Methodist Church at that time, but on account of opposition from her people, who were Baptist, she did not connect herself with the church of her choice until about the year 1830 or 31. She was married to Dennis McLendon, February 2, 1824, who preceded her to the good world many years ago. They raised a large family - all daughters - and the subject of this notice lived to see them all married and doing well. Some of her children, however, were called to pass over the river some years before the summons came for the beloved mother, who was always ready with her lamp trimmed and burning, to obey the Master's call "come up higher"...

Vol. 12, #34, Thursday Morning, 22 Aug.1878:

We find in the Thomasville Times of the 17th of August the announcement of the death of Mr. J. H. (Jarman Howell) Whaley, of Thomas County, the only brother of the late John K. Whaley, who died in Pulaski in 1874. We copy from the Times as follows: Died, at his residence Sunday morning, 11th inst., at 4 a.m., Mr. J. H. Whaley, in the 69th year of his age. An honest, upright man, our community will deeply feel his loss. At one time, Mr. Whaley represented Thomas County in the Georgia Legislature. For 22 years he has been a consistent member of the Primitive Baptist Church having been for many years

one of the deacons of Elam Church... At 10 a.m. Monday, the funeral sermon was preached by Rev. J. A. Battle, after which the body was consigned to the earth with the impressive funeral rites of the Masonic Fraternity of which the deceased was a honored member.

Died, on Friday night, August 17th, little Flora, in her seventh year, eldest daughter of Mr. J. C. and Mrs. Susan Mizell, of Pulaski County. Little Flora was attacked with bilious fever, and lived but four days. The parents, in their great grief, have the sympathy and condolence of many friends.

A few days ago the Albany Advertiser contained a short item announcing the killing of Pat Ward by Joe Arnold, at Milwood, on the Brunswick and Albany Railroad. The difficulty occurred on the 3d inst. It seems that "Arnold's nephew, a lad of nineteen or twenty years old, called Ward a liar, whereupon the latter slapped him. Arnold took the part of his nephew, and proceeded to avenge the lick he had received by walking up to Ward (who was unarmed), putting his pistol to his temple and deliberately shooting his dead."
Pat Ward was born and raised near Vienna, in Dooly County, and was a young man of about twenty-five years of age.

Vol. 12, #35, Thursday Morning, 29 Aug.1878:

The Cochran Observer announced the death, last week, of Mr. Wilson Hendricks, an old and respected citizen of the upper portion of Pulaski County.

The Houston Home Journal says: Mr. James Leary, who lived some seven miles south of Perry, died the other day. He was a good industrious citizen, and leaves a family to mourn his loss.

The Telegraph & Messenger published the following: The many friends of M. J. Monroe Ogden will be gratified to learn of his marriage, which occurred in Gilmanton, New Hamphire on the 22nd instant. At the residence of the bride's father, Hon. William Pitt Eastman, Mr. Ogdon was united in the holy bonds to Miss Caro O. Eastman. The bridegroom is well known in Macon as a gentleman of accomplished manners and refinement. Miss Eastman is the only daughter of Hon. William Pitt Eastman, and is one of the finest ladies of the state. In her winter home, in the little city of Eastman, named after Mr. Eastman, she has endeared herself to all of her many traits of true womanly perfection.

Vol. 12, #36, Thursday Morning, 5 Sep.1878:

Mrs. Laura N. Mcneill, wife of Mr. W. J. McNeill, died on Wednesday last, aged about nineteen years. The burial took place in the cemetery in Hawkinsville. Mrs. McNeill was the eldest daughter of Capt. John A. Hendley, who died in Pulaski a few years ago. She had been unwell for some time, but it was thought she was recovering, when, on Wednesday, she was suddenly taken very ill and died in a few minutes.

Mr. Hugh Lawson, of Houston County, died at Indian Spring on Monday evening, August 26, 1878. The remains were temporarly interred at that place. His

brother shine(?) from Hawkinsville, and brother-in-law, Mr. Robert H. Brown, of Macon, reached Indian Spring the morning after death...

Died in Wilcox County, GA, on the 26th of August, 1878, Mrs. Catherine Harvey, wife of Mr. Jarvis Harvey. Mrs. Harvey was born on the 8th of September, 1804, and was in her seventy-fourth year at the time of her death.

Rev. James Williamson - Short sketch of his life from the Eastman Times: This aged devine came to Georgia more than half a century ago. When quite a young man he landed at Nova Scotia from Scotland, remaining there a short time, thence to Baltimore, remaining there one year, thence to Savannah, GA., and shortly afterwards to Telfair County, his present home. Since this time his life has been devoted to preaching and teaching. In the troublous and trying times of Georgia and the South in 1861, he was called upon by the citizens of his country (Telfair) to represent them in the convention which resluted in the secession of Georgia. He was a strong Union man, and as such reflected the sentiment of his constituency in every vote cast in said convention. He was also one of the eighteen appointed by the president of the convention to draft the ordinance of secession. If he was ever called on to fill any other office, we are not advised, but this one he filled with credit to himself and great satisfaction to his ministry and preached at this place on Saturday and Sunday last, and though much afflicted, has lost none of his zeal and earnestness. He has a great many friends here and elsewhere throughout this section of country, and we hope to have him with us again soon.

Died at his residence in Wilcox County, on the 15th inst, John Finlayson, in the 50th year of his age... H.J.M., August 27, 1878.

Houston County News - From Houston (Perry) Home Journal of Friday last we clip the following items of news: Mrs. May Houser, wife of Mr. W. H. Houser, died two weeks ago at the residence of her husband near Houser's Mill, and was buried at Perry cemetery.

Vol. 12, #37, Thursday Morning, 12 Sep.1878:

None noted.

Vol. 12, #38, Thursday Morning, 19 Sep.1878:

Little George Thomas Paton, aged six years and ten days, and son of Mr. George Paton, died on Sunday night, 15th inst., of congestion. The burial took place on Tuesday afternoon at Orange Hill cemetery.

Little Zebonia, aged three years and eleven months, daughter of Mr. H. M. Bozeman, died on the 4th inst., after an illness of three days.

Mrs. Lucy Ann Robinson, of Norwalk, Connecticut, died at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. C. T. Lathrop, in Hawkinsville, on Sunday, 15th inst. Mrs. Robinson had been an invalid for about fifteen years. The funeral and burial occurred at eleven o'clock a.m. on Monday at Orange Hill cemetery.

Little Johnnie, infant child of Mr. D. E. Kibbee, died on Tuesday afternoon.

Vol. 12, #39, Thursday Morning, 26 Sep.1878:

Capt. A. J. Love, of Thomasville, died on the 6th inst., aged about 36 years. Capt. Love was the eldest son of Judge Peter Love, who was for a number of years before the war Judge of the Ocmulgee Circuit, and formerly resided in Hawkinsville.

Simeon R. Goode, Esq., died at Hot Springs, Arkansas, on the 8th inst. The deceased has many relatives and friends in this section. He removed from Georgia to Hot Springs in 1863, and was a man of brilliant intellect, and an able lawyer.

Obituary: Mrs. Lucy Ann Robinson died in Hawkinsville, September 15, 1878, aged 75 years... She was born in Stonington, Ct., in 1803... Most of her life was spent at Stonington and Norwalk, Ct... S., Hawkinsville, Sept. 24,1878.

Vol. 12, #40, Thursday Morning, 3 Oct.1878:

Rev. Henry Bunn, an aged minister of the Baptist denomination, died at his residence in Twiggs County, on the 23d ult. He was nearly 83 years of age at the time of his death.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Dr. Joseph Forbes, in Vienna, GA., on the evening of the 23d ult., by Rev. R. F. Evans, Mr. Charles T. Stovall and Miss Mildred W. Forbes.

Mr. Thomas W. Lancaster died at his residence on the east side of the river in this county, on Thursday night last, aged about forty years. Mr. Lancaster was one of the best citizens of Pulaski, and the community in which he lived has lost a noble friend and wise counsellor. He leaves a wife and seven children - mostly girls - to mourn his loss.

Mr. Calvin Minchew, of Wilcox County, died September 16, 1878, aged 71 years. He was one of the most useful citizens of his county.

William T., son of Rev. William Oliva, of Wilcox County, died September 9, 1878, aged 9 years.

Mr. Oliver Jones, one of the oldest citizens of Pulaski, died on Sunday last, and was buried in Orange Hill Cemetery, Hawkinsville, on Monday evening.

Vol. 12, #41, Thursday Morning, 10 Oct.1878:

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, on the 2nd day of October, 1878, by Levi Harrell, Esq., Mr. D. C. Daniel, of Pulaski County, and Miss Nancy Sapp, of Dodge County.

Died, after an illness of four days, in Wilcox County, on Wednesday, the 181th of September, little J. Smith, elder son of Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Thigpen, and grandson of Judge Turner, of Abbeville, aged about three years... V.H.W.

Mr. Walt Wallace of Drayton, Dooly County, died suddenly one day last week. He returned home from Vienna, and was taken sick that evening, and died next day. Congestive chill.

Vol. 12, #42, Thursday Morning, 17 Oct.1878:

Mrs. Susie Powell, young wife of Mr. C. A. Powell, of Montezuma, died at the residence of her grand-father, Rev. J. R. Felder, in Houston County, on the 6th inst. The deceased was beloved by a large circle of afriends and relatives.

Vol. 12, #43, Thursday Morning, 24 Oct.1878:

Died, in Wilcox County on the 13th of October, 1878, little Samuel Ashley, son of C. W. and E. J. Ashley, aged three years, threee months and three days... W.

Died, in Dooly County, at the residence of her son, Dr. J. H. Dupree, on the 12th of October 1878, Mrs. Elizabeth Dupree, aged eighty years.

Mr. Jacob E. Haslam and Miss Mary C. Marshall, of Houston County, were married on the 15th instant.

In Memoriam of George Taylor Patton who entered into rest September 16, aged 6 years and 10 days... St. Luke's S. School, Hawkinsville, GA., Oct. 6, 1878. (Note: His name spelled "Paton" in issue #38).

In Memoriam. Our cemetery entombs the dust of many whom we shall hold in lasting rememberance. With deep sorrow we add the name of Miss. Eliza M. Hall, who died near Eureka, Dooly County, GA., on the 6th of October, 1878... A.

Vol. 12, #44, Thursday Morning, 31 Oct.1878:

Died, on Wednesday, October 23, 1878, Mary Irene, infant daughter of Mr. & Mrs. W. R. Taylor, aged 11 months and 23 days.

Mr. Charles M. Pattishall, son of Dr. D. Pattishall, of Houston County, died at Mercer University, Macon, GA, on Monday last of hemorrhagic fever. Mr. Pattishall was a student of the last spring term of the Hawkinsville High School, and his many friends and admirers in this place are deeply pained to learn of his death.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. William H. Davies, in Hawkinsville, on Tursday evening last, by Rev. George R. McCall, Mr. E. O. Buff, Jr., of Pulaski County, and Miss Amanda W. Davies.

Married, at the residence of the bride's mother, in Pulaski County, on Tuesday, 29th inst., by Rev. R. F. Evans, Col. I. L. Toole, of Vienna, GA, and Miss Carrie

E. Fountain. Col. Toole and his amiable bride are attending the State Fair this week, and will go hence to Atlanta, where he will, upon the assembling of the General Assembly next week, take his seat as member elect from Dooly County to that body.

Vol. 12, #46, Thursday Morning, 14 Nov.1878:

Mrs. Mattie Pennick, wife of Charles R. Pennick, of Cochran, died suddenly on Tuesday, 5th inst. The deceased was a daughter of the late Mr. E. B. Gilbert, of this county.

Mrs. Charlotte E. Taylor, step-mother of Dr. A. R. Taylor, died on Friday, November 8, 1878, aged about sixty years. She was the widow of Dr. R. N. Taylor, who died in Hawkinsville in 1852, and will be remembered by many of our older citizens.

Married, at the residence of Mr. Thomas King, in Pulaski County, on Sunday, 10th inst., at 10 o'clock a.m., by J. O. Baskin, Esq., Mr. Loam Brown and Miss Ida J. King... A friend.

Lovett Miller, aged about nineteen years, and eldest son of Capt. William Miller, of this county, died at the home of his father on Friday night last, November 8th, after an illness of only thirty-six hours. His disease was hemorrhagic malarial fever, or "highland yellow fever," as it is sometime called. The deceased was a promising young man, and his sudden death is a great bereavement to his parents and friends.

William Franklin Studstill, aged eighteen years and youngest son of Mr. William Studstill, of Telfair County, died suddenly on Thursday morning last. The deceased had been a sufferer for about twelve years from painful nervousness, but for four months previous to his death he had been entirely free from any symptons of the disease.

Marriages in Houston: Mr. John Speight Baldwin, of Marshallville, Macon County, and Miss Leila F. Mann, of Perry, were married on the 6th inst. Mr. H. Erwin, of Atlanta, and Miss. Ophelia Tharpe, of Perry, were married on the 7th inst.

Died, in Pulaski County, on November 8, 1878, Lovet H. Miller, aged 18 years, 11 months and 2 days, son of William and Lizzie Miller... The Sabbath School and Singing Society at Blue Spring Church have lost one of their brightest and best members...

Vol. 12, #47, Thursday Morning, 12 Nov.1878:

On the 8th instant, little Vera Sheffield, of Laurens County, aged two years and three months, was sitting on a fence eating chufas, when a rail broke and she fell. The fall caused some of the nuts which she had in her mouth to lodge in her throat and she choaked to death in fifteen minutes.

Died, in Pulaski County, on the 15th of November, 1878, Shem Brown, aged 11 years, son of Mr. Loam Brown.

Vol. 12, #48, Thursday Morning, 28 Nov.1878:

Mr. William D. Pennick died at Cochran on Monday evening last of consumption. Mr. Pennick had been a sufferer for a long time, and during the present year made visits to Florida and North Georgia in the hope of improving his health. He had been the agent at Cochran for the Macon and Brunswick Railroad for many years.

Married, at the residence of the bride's mother (Mrs. Cynthia Tippett), by Hon. A. C. Pate, on Sunday morning 24th inst., Mr. James O. Holton to Miss Mattie S. Tippett, all of Pulaski...

Married, in Wilcox County, on the 17th inst., by Rev. E. Hunter, Mr. J. M. McCall and Miss James Ann Holly.

We learn that Mr. Jacob Dorminey, Sr., of Irwin County, died recently. He was an old and esteemed citizen, and one of the wealthiest men in the county.

Mr. J. J. Hancock, a minister of the Primitive Baptist Church, died at his home on Deep Creek, in Wilcox County, on the 5th day of November, 1878, after a long illness. Mr. Hancock was aged sixty-two years, eight months and a few days. He was a conscientious, upright citizen, and loved peace and order.

Mr. James J. Clements, one of the oldest citizens of Dooly, departed this life on the 29th of October, 1878, after suffering some time with dropsy, aged about 65 years. Mr. Clements came from Wilkinson County to Dooly when quite a boy and settled on Gum Creek... He remained a citizen of Dooly County until his death, and had accumulated considerable property... Mr. Clements has left a very large family and many friends to mourn his loss. P.

Vol. 12, #50, Thursday Morning, 12 Dec.1878:

Mr. John Dorminey, of Irwin County, an allusion to whose death was prematurely made in these columns, died last Friday, December 6th, after a lingering illness. He was highly esteemed by the people of his county.

Mr. James L. Carruthers, who was a citizen of Pulaski County from 1819 to 1834, returned from Clayton, Alabama, last week, on a visit to his relatives in this county. He emigrated from Craven County, North Carolina, with his father and two brothers - Wash and Joe - in his boyhood. He remained a citizen of Pulaski up to the year of 1834, when he moved to Hamilton County, Florida thence to Barbour County, Alabama, where he now lives. Mr. Carruthers is in his seventy-sixth year, but he carries himself very erect, and apparently has yet many years to live. He was accompanied on his visit by his son-in-law Rev. Mr. Pauline, who preached at the Baptist Church in Hawkinsville on Sunday and Sunday night last. It has been nineteen years since Mr. Carruthers' last visit to Hawkinsville, and of course he has met many new

faces and observed many changes in the town and its surroundings. His brother Wash still lives here, and is in his seventy-second year. Joseph Carruthers died here about twelve years ago.

Mr. James Carruthers, whose visit to his old home in Pulaski is noticed elsewhere, is full of reminescences of Old Hartford, and this section of the State during the early settlements. Mr. Carruthers states that the man who moulded the brick for the courthouse, built in Old Hartford in 1812, is still living, and is now about ninety-four years of age. Mr. Carruthers saw the old man about six months ago. He lives in Barbour County, Alabama and his name is Birch Holly. Mr. Jacob Dykes, who lives near Fountain's Mills, in this county, is now the oldest citizen in Pulaski, remembered by Mr. Carruthers. Mr. Dykes was living on Gum Swamp, in this county, when Mr. Carruthers' family moved here from North Carolina in 1818.

Married, in Hawkinsville, Ga., at the residence of Mr. Jessie S. Willis, the brides' father, on the evening of December 10th, 1878 by the Rev. C. C. Willis of Muscogee County, Mr. McC. Pate to Miss Mattie C. Willis. The marriage ceremony was conducted and pronounced by Rev. Mr. Willis, the bride's grandfather, was strikingly beautiful and impressive... Vera.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. William Faulk, in Twiggs County, on the 3d inst., by Rev. R. McCall, of Hawkinsville, Mr. J. C. Shannon to Miss V. S. Faulk.

Marriages in Dodge County: Mr. Charles B. Murrell, a popular and prosperous merchant of Eastman, was married at Quitman, Ga., on the 28th ult., to Miss Mattie Holzendorf, of Glynn County. Rev. Mr. Hays officiating. One the 26th ult, Mr. J. S. Betts was married to Miss Josephine Bohannon, the ceremony being performed by Rev. E. M. Whiting at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. James Bohannon.

Mr. W. J. Webb, of Macon County, and Miss Adella Swearingen, of Dooly County, were married on the 26th of November.

Mrs. Brown, widow of William Brown died near Henderson, Houston County, last week.

Mr. M. V. Easom, of Irwenton, Wilkinson County, died a few days ago, aged forty-six years.

At his home in Dooly County, Ga., on the 21st of November 1878, in the 71st year of his age, Hon. Joseph J. Collier passed from a bed of suffering and anguish to the repose of stillness and death... Removing from Laurens County, where he was born, to the county of Dooly in 1835, he at once took a prominent and influential position in politics, and was honored by his country and senatorial district with important trusts, official and private, which were discharged with fidelity and ability... C.

Vol. 12, #51, Thursday Morning, 19 Dec.1878:

The Houston Home Journal announces the death last week of Mr. John Aultman, of Crawford County, one of the oldest citizens of that section. The Journal says: He had attained the very advanced age of 106 years, and is the progenitor of a large and excellent family down to the fourth and fifth generation, many of the members of which are citizens of Houston County. We learn that Mr. Aultman's widow survives him, being a year older than her husband.

Obituary: Departed this life on the 8th day of December 1878, in Dooly County, Ga., Z. Taylor Whitehead, aged thirty years, nine months and seventeen days. He took consumption about two years ago and has been a great sufferer, but he bore his sufferings withgreat fortitude, never murmuring. He leaves a devoted father and mother and a large family of living brother and sisters... M.

Married, at the home of the bride, on the 11th inst., by Rev. B. F. Tharpe, Mr. George W. Holmes, Jr., to Miss Ida Marshburne, daughter of N. Marshburne, Esq., all of Houston County.

Married, on Wednesday, December 11, 1878, at the residence of the bride's father, E. O. Buff, Esq., by Judge A. C. Pate, Mr. Frank J. Herzog to the beautiful and accomplished Miss Fannie E. Buff... Nimrod.

On Thursday night last, December 12th, there occurred at Cochran, in this county, a very sad event. Mr. Charles R. Pennick, the late Marshal of the Town, committed suicide by shooting himself through his heart. The deed was committed about ten o'clock, after Mr. Pennick had retired to his room, apparently to go to bed... Mr. Pennick was a young man, possessed of both courage and intelligence, and had been the Marshal of Cochran for two or three years. Nearly a year ago he married Miss Mattie Gilbert, the daughter of E. B. Gilbert. Some weeks since she was taken ill and died very suddenly, and this event seemed to weigh very heavily upon his mind. A few days ago his brother, Mr. William D. Pennick, died, and it is thought these afflections led to mental depression. (Left a letter addressed to Henry - stating his funeral should be held Saturday evening at three o'clock, etc.)

Vol. 12, #52, Thursday Morning, 26 Dec.1878:

None noted. Only one page of legal notices.

Vol. 13, #1, Thursday Morning, 2 Jan.1879:

Married, at the residence of Mr. Joseph Burkhalter, on Sunday morning, 29th December,1878, by Elder John Churchwell, Mr. David McAnally to Mrs. Amelia Haskins, all of Pulaski.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. J. J. Taylor, in Pulaski County, on Tuesday evening, December 24, 1878, by Rev. Larkin Joiner, Mr.

Cornelius F. Holton and Miss. Susie E. Taylor, all of Pulaski County... A friend.

Thomas C. Sullivan, died in Macon, Ga., on the 23d of December, 1878, in the seventy-fifth year of his age. Mr. Sullivan will be remembered by many of our old citizens as a resident and practicing lawyer in Hawkinsville in the early days of the town... Many years ago he removed to Americus, and thence to Macon... He was a zealous christian, member of the M. E. Church, and a bright Mason. Two of his sons are citizens of this place, who have our deepest sympathies in the loss of their aged parent. Col. Sullivan died in the 75 year of his age. His remains reached Americus from Macon Tuesday noon and were followed to the grave by a concourse of mourning friends, attended by the Masonic fraternity, of which organization he was a worthy member. The burial services of that order were conducted by Maj. T. M. Furlow, D.G.W.M., an old friend of the deceased...

Vol. 13, #2, Thursday Morning, 9 Jan.1879:

Married, at the residence of the bride's brother, Mr. John Holder, on Pine Level, by Rev. A. M. Williams, on Tuesday morning, 7th inst., Mr. J. A. Hollon and Miss Lucy M. Holder. Mr. Hollon and his bride left immediately for their home near Drayton, Dooly County, carrying with them the good wishes of many friends.

Mrs. Lock, wife of Mr. Leonard Lock, of Dooly County, died on Sunday last. The deceased was the mother of our former fellow citizen, Prof. William J. Harvard, now living near Byromville.

Mrs. Louis, wife of Mr. Jacob Louis, of this county died on Monday of the present week.

Married, at the residence of the bride's mother, one the 19th of December, 1878, by Rev. G. W. Turner, Mr. Augustus J. Fenn and Miss Emma A. Adkins, all of Dooly County.

From a correspondent we learn that Mr. Gibson Bray, of Irwin County, died on the 26th of December, having arrived at the ripe old age of one hundred years the day before his death. He was possessed of a wonderfully vigorous constitution, and up to a short time before his death could walk ten or more miles a day. He served in the War of 1815. Macon Telegraph and Messenger...

Vol. 13, #3, Thursday Morning, 16 Jan.1879:

The Cochran Observer announces the death in Cochran, last week, of Michael McHale, an Irish workman in iron. Poor "Mike !" - he was an honest, good natured man, too weak to resist his greatest enemy, and the curse of thousands that deman of destruction and cause of human misery - liquor. Through weak in nature, he had a warm, good heart.

Married, near Ocala, Fla., December 22, 1878, by Rev. D. Gigger, Mr. Henry D. McLeod, formerly of Wilcox County, Ga., and Miss Nettie Readdy, of Marion County, Fla.

Mr. Isaac W. Mitchell, of this county, died of pneumonia at his home eleven miles below old Hartford on Thursday morning last, after an illness of about ten days. The deceased was about sixty-six years of age, and was born in Pulaski Colunty, within a few miles of the place upon which he died. He was known as a conscientious and worthy citizen, and at one time in his life held the office of Deputy Sheriff of the county. He was conscious of his approaching end on earth, and called his family to his bedside and made his dying bequests. He died peacefully, and was buried near his residence.

Obituary: Frances Atkins was born in Washington County, Ga., May 1806. In 1834 she married Stephen Harvard, and with him settled in Dooly County. After a few happy and prosperous years of married life he died. In 1852 she was married a second time to Leonard Lock. She died triumphantly in Dooly County, January 2nd, 1879. Mrs. Lock was a consistentc member of the Methodist Church for over forty years... W.

Vol. 13, #4, Thursday Morning, 23 Jan.1879:

The Dublin Post say that Willie Stewart, a young man aged about nineteen years, and son of Mr. Riley Stewart, of Laurens County, while breaking a young horse to the saddle, was thrown violently to the ground, receiving fatal injuries from which death ensued on last Thursday - two or three days after the fall.

Mr. G. A. Holcombe, who taught school for several years in Laurens and Johnson Counties, died a few days ago at Scarbors, on the Central Road, whither he had removed to take charge of the Academy at that place.

The late Col. Thomas C. Sullivan, who died in Macon and was buried in Americus a few weeks ago, and who, many years ago, practiced law in Hawkinsville, was born in Liberty County, Ga., September 4, 1804, and was a little upward of seventy-four years of age at the time of his death.

George Metts, a young printer who worked in the Dispatch office two or three years, died in Para, Brazil, a few months ago... His parents lived in Hawkinsville...

Died, on Sunday, January 19, 1879, Mrs. Nancy Howell, wife of Mr. John C. Howell, in the fortieth year of her age. Mrs. Howell had been an invalid for several years. The remains were buried in the cemetery at Hawkinsville on Monday afternoon last.

Dr. Flournoy's old mule "Reuben," that created a sensation in Hawkinsville last spring, killed Mr. Allen Davis, near Fort Valley, last week. The Fort Valley Mirror gives the following particulars. On Wednesday Mr. Allen Davis, an old gentleman who was living on Dr. Flournoy's place, went into the lot

with the Doctor's son, Joe, to catch Reuben, the Doctor's mule, both parties being armed with sticks. The mule ran Mr. Davis down and jumped or fell upon him, when Joe hit him and drove him off, but as the mule rose he kicked the old gentleman on the temple, breaking the skull, from the effects of which he died that night...

In Memorian: Died near Hawkinsville, November 8, 1878, Mrs. Charlotte E. Taylor, in the 66th year of her age. The deceased was married October 25, 1842 to Dr. Robert N. Taylor, a well known and highly esteemed citizen of Pulaski County, Georgia, whose memory is still fondly cherished by the people whom he mingled for so many years... L.P.H.

Vol. 13, #5, Thursday Morning, 30 Jan.1879:

Mr. John H. Hodges, one of the editors of the Irwinton Southerner and Appeal, was married to Miss Kate V. Norwood, in Houston County last week. The bride is a daughter of Mr. L. D. Norwood...

Houston County Items: From the Houston Home Journal. Mrs. Sanders, widow of Mr. Warren E. Sanders, died at her residence in Dooly County last week, and was interred in the family burying lot in Perry cemetery.

Married, at the residence of ther bride's father, in Irwin County, on the 16th inst., by W. R. Williams, Esq., Mr. John Davis to Miss S. A. Roberts, daughter of Mr. T. C. Roberts, all of Irwin.

We copy the following from the Eastman Times of last week: On Friday last, Mr. John McKinnon of Telfair County, returned home from his work, and found his wife dead in the yard...

Vol. 13, #6, Thursday Morning, 6 Feb.1879:

Married, on the 30th of January, 1879, at the residence of Mr. W. J. Harvard, by Rev. R. M. Owen, Mr. Cornelius Patrick and Miss Arrabella Butler, all of Dooly County, GA.

Vol. 13, #7, Thursday Morning, 13 Feb.1879:

None noted.

Vol. 13, #8, Thursday Morning, 20 Feb.1879:

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. James M. Joiner, on the evening of the 12th inst., by Rev. Robert Owen, Mr. Martin S. Roberts to Miss Sallie J. Joiner, all of Dooly County, Ga.

A few days ago we announced that little George, son of Mr. L. L. Burch, of Dodge County, had been severely burned, we regret to learn that the little fellow after much suffering, died on the 9th inst.

Vol. 13, #9, Thursday Morning, 27 Feb.1879:

We regret to see the annoucement of the death of Hon. Daniel Henderson, who departed this life at his home in Irwin County on the 8th inst. The Albany News says the following tribute to the deceased: He departed this life calmly and peacefully, as the shutting of the eye of day, in Irwin County, to which he had removed from Worth, his old home, but a few weeks previously, on the 8th inst., after a long and painful illness... The Berrin County News gives this brief sketch: He represented Worth County in the Georgia Legislature ten or twelve years at different times and always acceptably to his constiticents. During the war, and while he was battling for his county in the grand old army of Northern Virginia, as Captain of the Worth Rebels, Company B, 10th Georgia Battalion, he was called home to take his seat in the Georgia Legislature as representative of his county. For two years he faced the enemies of his county on the bloody soil of Virginia, shirking no duty, shunning no danger, but ever ready to lead where duty called. He held the office of Judge of the Inferior Court of Worth County for a number of years, and in this as in all the other public positions he held, it can be truthfully asserted that he never betrayed a trust or left a duty unperformed. All that was mortal of this good and faithful man was interred at Brushy Creek Church, in Irwin County, on the 11th instant. He leaves behind him a wife, eight sons and three daughters to mourn his loss.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, in Wilcox County, on the 2nd inst., by Rev. Z. Paulk, Mr. J. W. Roberts to Miss Susan Jane Raney.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, on the 13th inst., by D. Johnson, Esq., Mr. Eldred Powell to Miss Caroline McDuffie, all of Wilcox County.

Married, at the residence of Rev. J. L. Godwin, and by the same, in Dooly County, on Sunday 26th of January 1879, Mr. Chappell Varnadoe and Miss Willie Tuck.

Vol. 13, #10, Thursday Morning, 6 Mar.1879:

We are informed that Mrs. Holmes, wife of Hon. J. R. Holmes, ordinary of Dooly County, died at her home in Vienna on Monday night last.

Jimmie King, aged twenty-one years, son of postmaster Mr. William D. King, died last Friday morning of pneumonia, after an illness of seven days...

Mr. J. Frank Wynne died at his home in Hawkinsville on Tuesday afternoon. He had been a sufferer for many years of a cancerous affection upon the face. He was a carpenter by profession and had been a citizen of the town for many years. The remains were buried this (Wednesday) afternoon by the brethren of Mounty Hope Lodge F.& A.M., in Orange Grove Cemetery.

Married, at the residence of the bride's mother, in Dooly County, on the 20th Febrary, 1879, by Rev. G. W. McRanie, Mr. Elijah A. Pate to Miss Sallie Clements,

daughter of the late James J. Clements, all of Dooly County.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Rev. R. Pope, on the 2nd inst., by Rev. O. D. Mulkey, Mr. A. J. Brown, of Pulaski, to Miss Susan Pope, of Wilcox...

Vol. 13, #11, Thursday Morning, 13 Mar.1879:

Married, in Wilcox County, on the 5th of January, 1879, Mr. Henry L. Griffin, and Miss. Sarah R. Stone. In the same county, on the 23d of February, 1879, Mr. Rufus H. Batton and Miss Mattie R. Stone.

Vol. 13, #12, Thursday Morning, 20 Mar.1879:

Our community is saddened at the death of Mrs. Valley Henly, wife of Capt. Thomas Henly. She died Tuesday afternoon of consumption. The deceased was formerly Miss Valley Meriwether, of Eatonton, Ga., and was married to Capt. Henly in 1871, since which time she has resided in this place. She was much beloved and her death is sincerely regretted.

Col. George W. Jordan, of this county received a telegram on Sunday morning last announcing the death of his aunt, Mr. Patience Saffold, of Washington County. She was about ninety years of age.

Intelligence reaches us that on Thursday night last, 13th inst., Mr. J. W. McNeel, a merchant at McRae, Telfair County, was found dead in the piazza of his storehouse. It was thought that death was caused by apoplexy. Mr. McNeel had been in business at McRae for several years, and was highly esteemed by the citizens. The remains were buried with Masonic honors on Saturday last.

Tribute of Respect: Mt. Hope Lodge, No. 9, F.& A.M., Hawkinsville, March 14, 1879. We the committee appointed to draft suitable resolutions on the death of our beloved brother, J. F. Winn, beg leave to submit the following... (Note: Issue #10 listed last name as Wynne.)

Vol. 13, #13, Thursday Morning, 27 Mar.1879:

Mr. B. H. Pitts, of Haynesville, Houston County, after an illness of only three or four days, died on Thursday last.

Mr. Bryant Cason, of Dooly County, died on Thursday last. His death was caused by a wound received during the late war.

Mr. Thomas E. King, aged 25 years, died at the home of his mother, Mrs. H. E. King, in Fort Valley, on Thursday, March 20, 1879, of consumption. He was a citizen of Hawkinsville for nearly three years, and during the last seventeen months, and up to the time he was forced to give up business, was the efficient accountant in the store of Mr. M. D. Willcox. His uncle, Mr. Joe B. King, of this place was with him during the last four days of his illness...

Died, at the residence of her father, Judge Smith Turner, in Wilcox County, on the 12th of March, 1879, Mrs. Callie, wife of Mr. Eli Johnson. Born January 28, 1851, she was aged 27 years and near two months. She leaves four little children and a disconsolate husband to mourn her irreparable lose. Sick for six weeks, first from pneumonia, and finally from cholera morbus, she evinced all the fortitude and patience of a tired member of the cross, and this morning, like a flickering candle, quitely went to sleep in Jesus. V.A.W.

Married, at the residence of Mr. Hamilton Clarke, on the 13th inst., by W. K. Bussey, Esq., Mr. Levi Dunn to Miss Lydia A. Gladden, all of Dodge County, Ga.

Vol. 13, #14, Thursday Morning, 3 Apr.1879:

Married, in Bowden, Carroll County, Ga., on Thursday, March 27, 1879, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. J. W. Adamson, by Rev. John Thurmond, Mr. B. F. Boon, of Hawkinsville, Ga., and Miss Mattie Adamson.

Dooly County News: Vienna, Ga., March 30, 1879, Editor, Hawkinsville Dispatch... Mrs. Lowe, mother of Starling Lowe, and aunt of Ray & Bro., of Drayton, died at her residence on Thursday last... I learn that Mr. Joab Royal, of this county, died last week, also the wife of Mr. Asbury Hollon, died. Occassional.

Vol. 13, #15, Thursday Morning, 10 Apr.1879:

(see clipping, Rambles in the Wiregrass - three columns - not abstracted here.)

Mr. Herman Newberger and Miss Mamie Rieser, of Savannah, were married in Hawkinsville on Sunday morning last, without the services of a Rabbi, the sanctity of the synagogne, or the presence of the "old folks." ...Miss Rieser was here on a visit to her sisters, Mrs. Epstein and Mrs. Stern...

The oldest citizen of Wilcox: We claim for Mr. Micajah Owens, of Wilcox, some credit for pedestrianism. He was born in 1793, and is now eighty-six years of age. One day last week he walked to Hawkinsville, distance of twenty-eight miles, coming with his carts to market, and the next day he started back home, walking most of the way. Mr. Owens is the father of Messrs. James, Alfred, and Joshua Owens. Some three or four years ago we published a statement in the Dispatch that this old gentleman killed with his rifle, a deer on the run, which, we dare say, was as good a shot as ever made by Dr. Carver or Capt. Bogardus, the two most renowned shots in the world.

Dooly County News: Vienna, Ga., April 6, 1879... I learn that Mr. Dick Clewis died this morning from the effects, it is supposed, of a knife wound received sometime ago in a difficulty on election day. Mr. John Crumpler has just passed through town in search of the Corner to hold an inquest over the body.

Vol. 13, #16, Thursday Morning, 17 Apr.1879:

Mr. Leroy Fleetwood, father of Dr. W. N. Fleetwood, died at his home in Thomas County on Sunday, 6th inst., after a long illness of paralysis. Mr. Fleetwood was for many years a well known and honored citizen of Wilkinson County.

Dooly County News: Vienna, Ga., April 13, 1879... Death has again pervaded our ranks, but we can't say at a time altogether unlooked for. Mrs. Thombley, wife of Mr. Thomas Thombley, died last night, after a protracted illness of many years... Mr. Clem Bryan, son of William Bryan, died this morning about nine o'clock from wounds, it is supposed, he received in the late war... He resided in Twiggs County, but believing that his race was nearly run, he came down home - sweet home - to meet death. He leaves no children, but a wife, parents, brothers and sisters to mourn his loss...

Vol. 13, #17, Thursday Morning, 24 Apr.1879:

Missing.

Vol. 13, #18, Thursday Morning, 1 May 1879:

Little Frankie, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Epstein, of this place, died on Sunday night last, and was buried in Savannah on Tuesday.

Married, at the residence of Judge C. M. Bozeman, by Rev. A. M. Williams, on Tuesday evening, April 29th, 1879, Mr. Roswell A. Merritt to Miss Cornelia A. Coney, all of Pulaski.

Married, at the residence of Mr. M. C. Akin, by Henry Stone, J.P., on Sunday evening, 20th inst., Mr. Samuel T. Hunter to Miss B. V. Akin, all of Wilcox County.

Our Dooly County correspondent, informs us of the death, on Sunday last, of Mr. John H. Wallace, an aged citizen of Drayton, Dooly County. Mr. Wallace was one of the most highly esteemed and influential citizens of Dooly. He was only sick a day or two. He exerted himself a good deal about his mill during the late freshet, and it is supposed that his death was caused from too much exposure.

Vol. 13, #19, Thursday Morning, 8 May 1879:

Obituary: Died, April 24th 1879, Mrs. Sophia Harrell, daughter of the late William Hendley and wife of Mr. William H. Harrell, of Dodge County. She was born 9 March 1813, and was 66 years old when called to her home. She had been an exemplory member of the Baptist Church for the last twenty-five or thirty years... Some four or five years since she was stricken in her right side with paralysis, which caused her to be helpless, but her devoted husband, ever watchful of her comfort, had a chair constructed with rollers, in which he could roll her from one room to another, and she could enjoy to some extent the society of her family and friends... She leaves a devoted husband, five

children, numerous grandchildren, one great grandchild and many friends to mourn her loss... A Friend.

Married, at the residence of Mrs. Charity Pollock, on Thursday, April 24th 1879, by Judge H. H. Whitfield, Mr. John J. Daniel to Mrs. M. C. Pollock, all of Pulaski... A Friend.

Married, on Sunday, April 27th, by Rev. R. C. Mills, Mr. James Gregory and Miss Beula B. Lancaster, all of Pulaski County.

Marriages in Houston: It seems that the matrimonial fever is running high in Houston County. The following are announced in the last issue of the Home Journal: In Hayneville, on the evening of the 30th ult., Col. Alonzo A. Dozier, a prominent young lawyer of Columbus, and Miss Susie E. Moreland, of Hayneville; On the 20th ult., near Perry, Mr. J. T. Grant of Henderson, and Miss. Carrie Peddy, of Perry; and near Byron, on the 30th ult., Mr. M. G. Bayne and Miss Minnie Rushing.

Vol. 13, #20, Thursday Morning, 15 May 1879:

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, R. T. Williams, in Dooly County, on the 24th of April, 1879, by J. M. V. Williams, Esq., Mr. John Louis, of Pulaski County and Miss Estelle Williams.

Vol. 13, #21, Thursday Morning, 22 May 1879:

Married, in Wilcox County, Ga., on Thursday evening, May 15th, at the home of the bride's father, by Rev. James W. Mashburn, Mr. George R. Reid, Jr., to Miss Fannie E. Fuller, daughter and only child of Hon. S. D. Fuller...

Vol. 13, #22, Thursday Morning, 29 May 1879:

We learn from the Albany News, and are requested to make the announcement in the Dispatch that "the masonic burial of Capt. Dan Henderson, late of Worth, will take place in Irwin County on the 4th Sunday in June. Before he died he requested to be buried by Worth Lodge No. 194, F.& A.M., and in accordance with the same organization will attend in a body. They will be joined by the Wilcox and Nashville Lodges in the beautiful and impressive ceremonies around the grave. The services will be held at Bushy Creek Church."

Mr. W. D. Martin, Deputy Sheriff of Pulaski County, was married on Thursday evening last at Cochran to Miss Minnie D. Williams, daughter of Capt. J. M. Williams, of the M.P.B.R.R.

Vol. 13, #23, Thursday Morning, 5 Jun.1879:

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. J. J. Henderson, in Sycamore, Irwin County, Ga., on the 25th ult., by Rev. Zara Paulk, Mr. Jas. I. Clements and Miss Sarah Henderson, all of Irwin County.

Vol. 13, #24, Thursday Morning, 12 Jun.1879:

Mrs. Sangster, wife of Mr. Robert Sangster of the Sixth District of Dooly County, died on Thursday last, leaving eleven living children.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, in Coffee County, on the 28th ultimo, by Rev. D. N. McMillan, Mr. Green G. Henderson of Irwin County, and Miss M. Vickers, of Coffee County.

Vol. 13, #25, Thursday Morning, 19 Jun.1879:

Mrs. Eliza J. Hollingsworth, relict of Mr. John Hollingsworth, Sr., died in Macon on the night of the 12th instant, in the eighty-third year of her age. The Telegraph says that she was one of the oldest residence of that city, having moved there in 1826, and lived there contiuously ever since.

Little Lottie, aged about six years and daughter of Mr. John R. Taylor, of Longstreet, in this county, died on Friday last of congestive chill. This is the third death in the family of Mr. Taylor within the last three years, having lost his wife and little son sometime ago. Little Lottie was the last of the family...

Dr. R. S. Forehand and Miss Fannie Whitehead were married at McVille on the evening of the 8th inst. Judge L. D. McMillan performed the ceremony.

Houston County News from Houston Home Journal of last week: Mr. Doninique Schlasbauer died in Fort Valley on the 26th ult., and was buried with Masonic honors. He was born in Bohemia in 1806, and came to America in 1849, having lost his wife and child in 1848. Since then he has been entirely alone in the world, having no known relative. He was for several years a citizen of Perry, and moved to Fort Valley in 1866. He was a tailor by trade...

Vol. 13, #26, Thursday Morning, 24 Jun.1879:

Dr. Thomas J. Key, of Telfair, and Mrs. Annie Robinson, of Montezuma, were married at McVille on the evening of the 15th inst. The ceremony was performed by Judge L. D. McMillan, at this residence, in the presence of a large number of friends of the bride and groom.

Mr. Joseph H. Waterman, father of Messrs. Henry and Maurice Waterman, of Hawkinsville, died at his home in the State of Wurtkemberg, in Germany, on the 22d day of May 1879, aged seventy-eight years and four months. A letter from a son of the deceased states that his father ate a hearty supper, after which he retired, and in a short while he was suddenly taken ill, and died without pain a few minutes afterward. It is thought death was caused from heart disease.

Vol. 13, #27, Thursday Morning, 3 Jul.1879:

Mrs. Watson, mother of Judge Jacob Watson, died at his residence yesterday

(Tuesday) and burial took place to-day at the cemetery in Hawkinsville.

Miss Mary Pierce, daughter of Mr. Jacob Pierce, died on Saturday last. She was a member of the Episcopal Sunday School, and funeral services were held at the church, on Sunday, after which the remains were followed to the cemetery by a procession of the Sunday School and other friends of the deceased.

Vol. 13, #28, Thursday Morning, 10 Jul.1879:

(Not copied. Page 3, contains historical sketch of the Pulaski Volunteers, Company G, 8th GA Regiment, by D. G. Fleming. No. 1., from organization of the company to arrival in Richmond, VA, with listing of officers.)

Vol. 13, #29, Thursday Morning, 17 Jul.1879:

Mrs. Maulden, died at the residence of her son, Mr. Rufus Maulden, in this county, on Sunday last, aged about 83 years.

John F. Tippett, son of Mr. & Mrs. Ezekiel Tippett, of Dooly County, died on the 7th inst., aged 15 years, 6 months and 7 days.

On Tuesday morning last, Messrs. Henry Sparrow and Iverson Sanders, near neighbors, living about five miles from Hawkinsville, on the east side of the Ocmulgee, decided to go fishing, and met at the residence of Mr. Sanders to make arrangements for the trip. Mr. Sparrow, while awaiting for Mr. Sanders to get ready, took a seat, with a shot gun across his lap. Mr. Sanders was immediately in front of the muzzle of the gun, and while in this position, it was accidentally discharged, the contents entering the left breast of Mr. Sanders and causing his death in a few minutes... He leave a wife and three or four children...

(Not copied. Historical sketch of Pulaski Volunteers, Company G. 8th GA Regiment, by D. G. Fleming. No. 2., from arrival in Richmond to first battle of Manassas, with list of privates.)

Vol. 13, #30, Thursday Morning, 24 Jul.1879:

Griffin News: On Friday a terrible accident occurred in Fort Valley. A horse attached to a buggy, in which was seated Mrs. Moses Alexander and her thirteen year old daughter, ran away. The child was thrown out and instantly killed. Mrs. Alexander was seriously injured.

On Thursday evening last, 17th inst., at the residence of the bride's mother, in this county, Mr. Jacob Louis was married to Miss Laura Dupree, with Rev. Larkin Joiner officiating.

Died, in Wilcox County, on Sunday July 20th, 1879, of consumption, Mrs. Rebecca Rycroft, aged twenty-seven years, leaving five children.

(Not copied. Historical sketch of Pulaski Volunteers, Company G. 8th GA Regiment, by D. G. Fleming. No. 3.)

Vol. 13, #31, Thursday Morning, 31 Jul.1879:

Mr. Homer Corbett, aged about twenty-one years, died near Cochran on Friday afternoon last of congestive chill. He was taken ill in the country on Thursday, and died within about twenty-four hours. He was the son of Col. E. C. Corbett, of Macon. His parents, in answer to a telegram informing them of his serious illness, came down on the train Friday morning and hastened to his bedside, but death occurred soon after their arrival. The remains were brought to Cochran and buried on Monday last. Willie Corbett, a brother of Homer, died at Cochran a few years ago of simular disease.

(Not copied. Historical sketch of Pulaski Volunteers, Company G. 8th GA Regiment, by D. G. Fleming. No. 4.)

Obituary: Mrs. Mary Watson, whose maiden name was Pugh, died July 1, 1879, at the residence of her son, Judge Jacob Watson, in Hawkinsville. She was born May 10, 1804, in Laurens County, Ga; was married to Jacob Watson about 1827. Soon after her marriage she made a profession of religion and joined the Methodist Church during a great revival conducted by Rev. now Dr. J. E. Evans and Rev. Wiley Holder, held precious memory by so many old citizens of Pulaski County... W.

Vol. 13, #32, Thursday Morning, 7 Aug.1879:

Mr. Elijah F. Blackshear, of Laurens County, died a few days ago of cancer of the face. He was exceedingly popular with the people of his county, and his death is lamented by all.

We were glad to greet in our office on Monday last our old friend W. C. Jelks, of Albany, whom we had not seen for many years. This is his first visit to our town since 1864. He come up to spend a few days with his brother, Mr. Oliver Jelks, and other relatives. Mr. Jelks was a citizen of Hawkinsville in 1834-5, and was engaged in the warehouse and cotton shipping business...

Mr. John C. Howell died near Hawkinsville on Wednesday night, July 30, 1879, of Typho-malarial fever. The remains were interred in Orange Hill cemetery on Thursday last. Mr. Howell was a member of the Pulaski Volunteers in the Eight Georgia Regiment and was severely wounded at the first battle of Manassas, from which he never fully recovered.

Little Susie, daughter of Capt. Thomas Henly, died on Tuesday morning last and was burried at the cemetery on Tuesday evening...

(Not copied. Historical sketch of the Pulaski Volunteers, Company G. 8th GA Regiment, by D. G. Fleming. No. 5.) The below information was copied because it shows the present location, as far as can be ascertained, of members who left Pulaski County:

George W. Carruthers, Louisiana
W. C. Dougherty, Hancock County, Georgia
S. W. Taylor, Melonville, Florida
A. H. Affeck, Marshalville, Georgia
S. D. Andrews, Dresden, Texas
James Burrows, Dakota Territory
James Farnell, Florida
J. L. Holland, Texas
G. Herman, Virginia
R. L. McCall, Bibb County, Georgia
J. M. Mitchell, Cobb County, Georgia
Daniel Martin, Florida
Z. J. Redd, Florida
S. B. Stevens, Florida
Marion Sanders, Texas
J. M. Thomas, Decatur County, Georgia
W. A. Wilcox, Darien, Georgia
Jesse Wade, Alabama
W. W. Williamson, Milledgeville, Georgia
J. T. Wheeler, Florida

Vol. 13, #33, Thursday Morning, 14 Aug.1879:

None noted.

Vol. 13, #34, Thursday Morning, 21 Aug.1879:

Mr. John A. Ingram of Dooly County, died on Tuesday, August 12, 1879, aged about forty-five years.

A note from Mr. T. J. Ray informs us that Joseph Bullock, aged six or seven years, and son of Mr. D. M. Bullock, miller at Wallac's mill near Drayton, Dooly County, was drowned on Tuesday of last week.

Married, at the residence of Mrs. Tarver, in Hawkinsville, on Thursday evening, 14th inst., by Hon. H. H. Whitfield, Mr. Robert L. Partin to Miss Ida M. Freeney.

Vol. 13, #35, Thursday Morning, 28 Aug.1879:

The Houston Home Journal says that Mr. Humphrey Marshall, one of the oldest citizens of Houston County, died at his home near Henderson, Monday, August 18th. He had been in bad health for several years.

Mr. George Ware, a well known citizen of Laurens County died last week.

Mr. Clint Taylor, a popular and well known citizen of Atlanta, died in that city on the morning of the 19th inst. He was the father of Mrs. C. C. Kibbee, of Hawkinsville. The remains were sent to Indiana for burial.

Little Henry Baskin, son of Lafayette Baskin, of this county, died at the residence of his grandfather, Mr. S. J. Partin, on the 18th inst., aged about three years. (Note: Mr. S. J. Partin, was also the grandfather of the compiler.)

Mrs. Frances Mixon, wife of Mr. E. I. Mixon, of Dooly County, died on the 23d inst., aged about 45 years.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. M. McDonald, on the 6th inst., Mr. John Wilson and Miss Martha J. Wright, all of Dooly County.

Married, at the residence of O. P. Churchwell, by J. M. V. Williams, Esq., on the 14th inst., Mr. L. S. Dupree and Miss M. E. Williams, all of Pulaski County.

Vol. 13, #36, Thursday Morning, 4 Sep.1879:

Georgia Gertrude, infant daughter of Mr. & Mrs. H. S. Taylor, of this place, died on Friday last.

Married, at the residence of Mr. C. B. Clegg, in Schley County, by E. H. Baldwin, J.P., on Sunday morning, August 31, 1879, Mr. James Fleming, of Pulaski County, to Miss Lucinda M. Foster, of Schley County.

Married, at the residence of the bride's grandfather (Mr. D. W. Taylor) in Hawkinsville, on Tuesday evening, August 28, 1879, by Rev. M. N. McCall, Mr. M. M. Willis, Mayor of Cochran, to Miss Sallie H. E. Taylor, of Hawkinsville.

Vol. 13, #37, Thursday Morning, 11 Sep.1879:

On Saturday evening last, at Goldsboro, in this county, Frank A. Smith became offended at some trivial act of a negro man... Frank A. Smith was killed by someone in the house, through mistake.

Vol. 13, #38, Thursday Morning, 18 Sep.1879:

Little Willie, infant son of Mr. & Mrs. A. B. Davies, of Dooly County, died on Tuesday evening last. The remains were brought to Hawkinsville and interred in Orange Grove (now Orange Hill) cemetery this (Wednesday) morning.

Mrs. Rachel Barber, of Pulaski County died on the 31st ultimo, aged about 58 years.

Died, neaar Mt. Calvary Church, in Pulaski County, September 8, 1879, Miss. Mattie E. Dixon, aged sixteen years, seven months and four days. She leaves sorrowing parents, four loving sisters and many dear friends to mourn her death. R.E.C.

Vol. 13, #39, Thursday Morning, 25 Sep.1879:

Little George Winn, an orphan child aged about five years, died at the

residence of Mrs. Bartlett, in this place, on Tuesday last.

Married, in Pulaski County, on the 11th inst., by J. M. V. Williams, J.P., Mr. L. J. Nobles to Miss. Mary E. McGee.

Vol. 13, #40, Thursday Morning, 2 Oct.1879:

Little Tommie, infant son of Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Haslam, died on Friday morning, September 9, 1879. The remains were interred in Mount Olive graveyard in Dooly County.

Vol. 13, #41, Thursday Morning, 9 Oct.1879:

Mr. Ferdinand Fleming, Sr., an aged and highly respected citizen of this county, died at the residence of his sister, Mrs. Catherine Williamson, on Tuesday evening last.

Prof. M. M. McDonald, the accomplished teacher of penmanship, died at his home in Spalding, Macon County, on Tuesday, September 30th, of typhoid fever, and was buried at Mt. Olive Church, Dooly County, on Wednesday. He leaves a wife and three small children.

Died, on the 29th of September, 1879, Nannie Irene, infant daughter of L. B. and M. J. Wilcox, of Pulaski County... Her grandmother.

Vol. 13, #42, Thursday Morning, 16 Oct.1879:

Died, at the residence of Judge P. T. McGriff, in this place, on Tuesday night, after an illness of about twenty hours, Miss. Elizabeth A. Adams. She was an excellent lady, and was highly esteemed for her many virtues and pure piety.

Married, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Thomas Lancaster, on the 9th inst., by Rev. Robert E. Mills, Mr. William Carroll and Miss Nannie Lancaster, all of Pulaski County.

Mr. Martin Roberts, of Dooly County, died on the 18th of September 1879, aged about sixty-eight years. He had suffered for many years with dropsy of the chest... He was one of the oldest citizens of Dooly County, and at the time of his death was living upon the farm settled by his father. His father and mother died at the same place and are buried there. Mr. Roberts had been a consistent member of the Methodist Church since early manhood, and was recognized as an honest citizen and kind neighbor, and was never seen to take a drink of whisky or heard to utter a rash word. He leave a widow and four children.

Mr. J. R. Dowdy, an old citizen of Dodge County, died very suddenly at Willcox's Mills, in this county, on Sunday morning, 12th inst. He was taken with a pain in his head, and died before a physician could reach him. He was wounded severely in the body in battle during the late war, and never fully recovered.

Vol. 13, #43, Thursday Morning, 23 Oct.1879:

Married, at the residence of A. E. Choate, Esq., Cochran, Ga., by Rev. A. M. Williams, October 21st, Mr. Daniel M. Ryle to Mrs. Mollie J. Wooten, all of Cochran.

Mr. William G. Hamilton died at his home in Dooly County on Wednesday night of last week of paralysis. Mr. Hamilton had resided alternately at his plantation in Dooly and his residence in Hawkinsville during the past five or six years, and was one of the most prominent and wealthy citizens of this section. His remains were brought from Dooly to his home in Hawkinsville and interred with Masonic ceremonies in Orange Hill cemetery on Saturday morning.

Mrs. Harrell, wife of Hon. L. L. Harrell, of this county died on Friday morning last. Mrs. Harrell had been invalid for several years. She was a sister of Mr. Hamilton, whose death is recorded above, and the remains of both were interred in Orange Hill cemetery at this place at the same hour on Saturday morning last.

Vol. 13, #44, Thursday Morning, 30 Oct.1879:

None noted.

Vol. 13, #45, Thursday Morning, 6 Nov.1879:

Died, in Wilcox County, Ga., October 29th, 1879, of malarial fever, little Edwin Fletcher, youngest of the twin sons of Mr. D. A. and Mrs. Mary A. McLeod, born December 28th, 1865... Dr. J.L.T.

Vol. 13, #46, Thursday Morning, 13 Nov.1879:

Married, on the evening of the 6th inst., Mr. John W. Marshall, of Houston County, was married in Gainesville, Ga., to Miss Maude Aline Russell, sister of Mrs. E. J. Henry, of Hawkinsville. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. C. Wilkes.

Vol. 13, #47, Thursday Morning, 20 Nov.1879:

Mr. John S. Pool, of Houston County, died in that county on Wednesday, November 12, 1879, aged forty-one years. He had been in bad health since the close of the war. The remains were buried at the family burial ground.

Obituary: Prof. M. M. McDonald died at his home in Spalding, Macon County, Ga., on the first day of October, 1879, of typhoid fever. He leaves a wife and three children to mourn his loss. Prof. McDonald was born March 25, 1850... A Friend - Montezuma Weekly please copy.

Vol. 13, #48, Thursday Morning, 27 Nov.1879:

Married, at the residence of the bride's mother, in Henderson, Houston County, on Tuesday, 25th inst., by Rev. B. F. Tharpe., Dr. A. A. Smith, of Hawkinsville and Miss Lizzie E. Hodge... Dr. Smith is one of our most popular and esteemed physicians and citizens, and during his citizenship of not quite five years he has established a successful and lucrative practice, and won the friendship and esteem of all who have made his acquaintance. His bride is an accomplished and educated young lady, a sister of Prof. M. T. and Col. P. T. Hodge, of Hawkinsville, and the couple have warmest wishes of a host of friends.

Mr. Thos. J. Marr, of Macon County, died very suddenly on his plantation near Montezuma, on Tuesday night, November 18th, 1879. He was a brother of Mr. H. B. Marr of Pulaski. The remains were interred in Orange Hill cemetery, in Hawkinsville, on Thursday last.

Miss Lucy Mercer, of Dooly County, died at the residence of her brother-in-law, Mr. C. A. Williams, in Hawkinsville, on Wednesday night, November 19, 1879, aged about twenty-two years. The remains were conveyed to Gum Creek for burial in the family burial ground.

Mrs. Laura Powell, wife of Mr. Grif Powell, of Houston County, died at the residence of her father, Mr. Thomas Lary, near Macon, on Monday, 17th inst., of typhoid fever. Mr. Powell arrived home on Saturday last and on Monday he received a telegram announcing the death of his infant child on Sunday morning.

Died in Pulaski County, Ga., November 19, 1879, Mrs. Sarah M. Jesup, wife of W. M. Jesup. The deceased was born February 16, 1847, and was a consistent member of Bethany Church...

Mr. Frank A. Cochran and Miss Rosa Oberry were married in Cochran, Ga., on Thursday evening, 20th inst., by Rev. G. R. McCall.

Vol. 13, #49, Thursday Morning, 4 Dec.1879:

Died, in Pulaski County, on Sunday night, November 30, 1879, Mrs. Elizabeth H. Matthews, aged seventy-four years. She was the widow of the late James Matthews, who died in November 1874, and was the mother of David F. and Green C. Matthews. Mrs. Matthews was the mother of eight children - all boys, only three of whom survive her. One son John G., was killed in battle during the late war. William H., the oldest son living, is now in Texas, farming in Vanzandt County.

On Wednesday evening of last week, in Vienna, some trouble originating from a trifle matter, arose between Cobb Melton, a young white man, and James Ford, an irishman. Ford was considerably under the influence of liquor, and, we have been told, used violent and obusive language toward Melton, who quietly arned Ford to go away. Ford was taken away, but afterward returned and with

his knife attacked Melton. The men came to close quarters, and Melton fired two or three time on the irishman, hitting him with two balls. Both men fell togeather, Melton on top. They were pulled apart and it was discovered that Ford was mortally wounded. He died within about one hour afterward...

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. J. H. Fenn, in Dooly County, on the 25th ult., by Rev. M. McDonald, Mr. J. F. Lewis, Jr., and Miss Beulah Fenn, all of Dooly County.

Mr. S. W. Lee, of Gum Creek, Dooly County, died of pneumonia, in Lee County, on Monday last.

Information reaches us that on yesterday (Tuesday) afternoon a difficulty occurred in Dublin, Laurens County, between Mr. Adrian Corbett and Mr. Freeman Moore, two well known citizens of that county, and that Mr. Corbett was shot twice and killed. There had been an old feud between the men and their family.

Action of Lumber City Lodge, F.& A.M. on death of Senator Jacob Clinton Clements... Brother Clements was born in Montgomery County, Georgia, August 21st 1816, and died in Atlanta, Ga., August 23, 1879, aged 53 years and two days. He was married in 1845 to Miss. Eliza Wooten. His first wife having died, he was again married in 1867 to Mrs. Nancy McArthur... He has been a member of the Methodist Church for more than forty years, and has been almost continually Worshipful Master of this lodge since 1862...

Vol. 13, #50, Thursday Morning, 11 Dec.1879:

None noted.

Vol. 13, #51, Thursday Morning, 18 Dec.1879:

Mr. J. W. Reynolds and Miss Sallie E. Burch, daughter of Rev. E. A. Burch, were married on Monday afternoon last at the residence of the bride's father, Rev. G. R. McCall officiating.

Vol. 13, #52, Thursday Morning, 25 Dec.1879:

None noted - mostly legal notices.

Vol. 14, #1, Thursday Morning, 1 Jan.1880:

Missing.

Vol. 14, #2, Thursday Morning, 8 Jan.1880:

From Dublin Post: Capt. W. A. Gainey, one of the most prominent citizens of this county (Laurens), died last Saturday of pneumonia after an illness of three days.

Miss Ellen Mitchell died at her home in Hawkinsville on the 23d of December, 1879, aged about fifty-four years. The remains were taken to Antioch Church for interment, and funeral services by Rev. George R. McCall.

Mrs. B. F. Boon died at the Scarborough House, in Hawkinsville, on Monday last, and the remaikns were interred in Orange Hill cemetery on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Boon had resided in our town about a year, having been married about a year ago, in Carroll County, to Mr. B. F. Boon, of this place.

Capt. G. R. Coley, died at his plantation a few miles west of Hawkinsville, on Tuesday morning, 6th inst., after an illness of about ten days. The remains were buried in Orange Hill cemetery, in Hawkinsville, on Wednesday, with Masonic honors. The deceased commanded a company from this county in the late war, and after the close of hostilities returned to his plantation and resumed farming.

Charles Mullis, a young man about twenty years of age, was killed near Cochran on Saturday last... Falls from wagon and wheels break his neck.

Bob Gibbs died on the farm of Mr. Robert V. Bowen, two miles from House Creek, on Friday night, January 2, 1880, aged about thirty years...

Mr. J. A. Sasser and Miss. Josephine Armstrong, of Pulaski County, were married on Wednesday, December 31, 1879. The ceremony was performed by S. M. Blount, J.P.

Vol. 14, #3, Thursday Morning, 15 Jan.1880:

It becomes my painful duty to record the death of Mrs. Melinda Lilly, the beloved wife of Mr. John E. Lilly, the present efficient clerk of our Superior Court. Mrs. Lilly was born the 9th day of March, 1822, and died at her home in Dooly County on the 22nd day of December, 1879, in the fifty-eighth year of her age... She had been a consistent member of the Baptist Church for about thirty-six years, and her life and works gave evidence of the faith that was in her... Mrs. Lilly leaves a husband and three living children, two daughters having preceded her... Friend.

In Memoriam: John F. Lewis, one whose name will be honored and cherished most by those who knew him best... In our sister town of Hawkinsville he was taken with pneumonia and there perished a victim of the ravages of the disease, after a short illness, on the 29th of Decmeber, 1879, in the 49th year of his age... Friend, Montezuma, GA.

Vol. 14, #4, Thursday Morning, 22 Jan.1880:

Col. Pleasant H. Key died at his home in Hawkinsville on Thursday morning last, January 15, 1880, aged about fifty-nine years. He died with pneumonia after a brief illness. Col. Key was a citizen of Dooly County for many years, and was well known and much esteemed by the people of that county... During the late war Col. Key was connected with the cavalry command of General

Wheeler and surrendered with General Joe Johnson at Greensboro, after the last battle had been fought in North Carolina.

Married, at the residence of Mr. E. H. Thombley, in Dooly County, on the 15th inst., by Rev. G. W. Turner, Mr. George Calhoun and Miss Susan Lupo, all of Dooly County.

Mr. Shadrick Rozar, an old citizen of Dodge, died a few days ago at the house of his brother, Charles Rozar.

Vol. 14, #5, Thursday Morning, 29 Jan.1880:

Mr. John H. Coleman and Miss Mary Willcox, daughter of Mr. M. D. Willcox, were married at the residence of the bride's father, in Hawkinsville, on Thursday evening, 22d inst. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. H. McGehee, of Cuthbert, Ga., an uncle of Mr. Coleman. On Friday evening Mr. Coleman and his bride were given a reception at the home of his father, Dr. Coleman, at Henderson, Houston County, and a large party assembled to enjoy the occassion.

Mrs. Rogers, a very aged lady living in the Third District of Dooly County, died last week. She had attained the age of about eighty years. (Compilers Note: Cemetery listing for Dooly II, listed as Mrs. Frances Rogers, Mar.28,1800-Jan.22,1880)

Mrs. Darsey, mother of Mr. Joel R. Darsey of this county, died at the home of her son on Tuesday morning, January 27, 1880.

Tribute: Pleasant H. Key was born in Louisville, Jefferson County, Ga., on the 4th day of July 1823. He died in Hawkinsville, Pulaski County, Ga., January 14, 1880, after an illness of some eight or ten days of pneumomia... Mr. Kea was the son of Col. Thos. H. Kea, who was clerk of the Superior Court of Dooly County for many years, he attending to the duties of the office for several years prior to his father's death. He was a kind and affectionate father and husband. He leaves three devoted and affectionate daughters to mourns his loss, and four half sisters, having lost his wife some years ago... J.H.H.

Tribute of Respect, Mt. Hope Lodge, No. 9, F.& A.M., Hawkinsville, Jan. 23,1880. The good God in His allwise providence seen best to take away from us our beloved brother Gabriel R. Coley. Brother Coley was raised to the degree of a Master Mason in this Lodge in the year 1860 - died at his home in Pulaski County, on the 6th day of January, 1880, after a very brief illness, aged forty-seven years, and was buried with Masonic honors in Orange Hill cemetery...

Vol. 14, #6, Thursday Morning, 5 Feb.1880:

Mr. George W. Sturges, a well known citizen of Fort Valley, died last week.

From the Irwinton Southerner: On Saturday last, Mr. Jackson Daniel and two

small boys went out bird hunting near Gordon and while returning home, Mr. Daniel was either playing with or carelessly handling his gun, when the weapon must have struck his knee, and the jar caused it to fire, and the load passed through his neck and killed him instantly. He was a quiet, inoffensive young man, about 24 year of age and a member of the Methodist Church. For some time past he had been employed by the city as night watchman. He leaves a wife and one child and a large number of friends to mourn his death.

Died, on the 19th ult., little Florence, daughter of William and Mollie J. Mozell, of Telfair County, aged two years, one month and nineteen days... His affectionate uncle, E.R.C.

Died, on the 11th of January, 1880, little Maria Mizell, daughter of Griffin and Callie Mizell, aged two years, one month and twenty-four days... K.

Yesterday morning in Twiggs County, Mrs. Carrie A. Bunn, died at her residence at an advance age. Her remains were brought to Macon last evening, and will be interred that morning in Rose Hill cemetery. Funeral service will be held at the residence of Colonel Pulaski Holt, on Orange Street. The deceased was the widow of the late Rev. Henry Bunn, a Baptist minister, who was well known throughout this section of the state. Mrs. Bunn was the mother-in-law of Mrs. Governor Colquitt, and a sister of Colonel Holt's wife. She was a most estemable christian lady, and went to her rest well stricken in years and full of grace - Macon Telegraph, 29th ult.

Vol. 14, #7, Thursday Morning, 12 Feb.1880:

Mrs. Charity Pollock, wife of Mr. Morris Pollock, and formerly Mrs. Charity Love, died at her home in this county on Saturday night last. The remains were buried on Monday at Antioch, by the side of other members of the family.

Married, at the residence of the father of the bride, by F. B. Green, J.P., on the morning of the 1st inst., Mr. William U. Evans, of Twiggs County to Miss Julia Brown, daughter of Mr. John C. Brown, of Pulaski.

Married, on the morning of the 25th of January, 1880, by Rev. J. R. Fields, at the residence of Mr. D. Adkins, Mr. John Roachell to Miss Nancy Cox, all of Dooly County. By the same on the 25th of December 1789, Mr. D. W. Wilder to Miss S. M. Truluck, at the residence of the bride's father, all of Dooly.

Dr. G. T. Young, an old and highly esteemed citizen of Dooly County, died at his home near Gum Creek, on Saturday last, February 7th. The remains were buried at the Gum Creek cemetery, with Masonic honors, on Sunday, by Fort Early Lodge, No. 226, F.& A.M., and the funeral procession was one of the largest ever witnessed in that neighborhood, and was composed of both white and black. Dr. Young was highly esteemed by his neighbors and friends. He was between fifty and sixty years of age.

Vol. 14, #8, Thursday Morning, 19 Feb.1880:

From the Dublin Post, 11th inst... We are pained to chronicle the death of Mrs. W. H. H. Ashley, a most estimable lady, living in the upper portion of this county. Mrs. Williams, aged seventy-eight years, died at the home of Mrs. G. R. Coley, near Hawkinsville, on Monday last.

Mr. Charles E. Ryan, died at the residence of his son Lawrence C. Ryan, Esq., on Pine Level, near Hawkinsville, on Friday, February 13, 1880, aged sixty-six years. About two years ago Mr. Ryan was stricken with paralysis, from which he never recovered... Before the war, Mr. Ryan was a citizen of Milledgeville, but since the war he had made Savannah his principal home, and was for many years connected with the wholesale house of Claghorn & Cunningham. His father, Dennis L. Ryan, was a prominent and noted citizen of Georgia. He was the editor and publisher of the Georgia Argus, printed at Warrenton upwards of fifty years. The remains were buried by Mt. Hope Lodge, No. 9, F. & A.M., from St. Luke's Episcopal Church, in Hawkinsville, on Saturday afternoon, and were escorted to the cemetery by a large procession. The deceased was a brother of the late Dr. Thomas D. L. Ryan, a well known citizen of this county.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, by W. K. Bussey, Esq., on the evening of the 5th inst., Mr. John W. Coleman and Miss Charlottie Burch, all of Dodge County.

Vol. 14, #9, Thursday Morning, 26 Feb.1880:

From Eastman Times: Mr. Cullen Rogers, of this county, died at his home on Friday evening, the 6th inst., after a protracted illness from typhoid fever. He leaves a wife, and four childre, and other relatives to mourn his loss. Mr. Rogers was comparatively a young man, and was a good citizen...

From Mr. John F. Hall, Jr., we learn of the death from pneumonia of his brother, Dr. Lyman L. Hall, at Brownsville, Texas, on Monday morning last. Dr. Hall visited his sister, Mrs. J. F. DeLacy of our town, last summer, and after spending a short time here, he visited his parents and friends in Appling County, after an absence of about seven years. Mr. J. F. Hall, Jr., of Appling County, and our fellow-townsman, John F. DeLacy, Esq., left this morning for Brownsville, Texas.

On Monday last, while engaged in taking down Mr. Lietch's Mills, preparatory to removal, Mr. George Davis, an employee at the mills was overhead removing some timbers, and walking too far out on a plank, it give way and he fell to the floor, a distance of about ten feet, his head striking against the timber carriage, producing severe concussion of the brain... Mr. Davis grew rapidly worse, and died on Wednesday morning. He was a young man of good character, and a consistent member of the Methodist Church. He had a widowed mother in Florence, SC., besides other friends and relatives to mourn premature death. His only relatives with him was a twin brother, Mr. Fuller Davis, engineer at Mr. Lietch's mills, and his wife, who watched him with tender care all through

his suffering.

Speaking of the death of Mr. Charles E. Ryan, at Hawkinsville, on the 13th inst., the Federal Union and Recorder says: Mr. Ryan was for a long time a citizen of Milledgeville, and was at one time Secretary of the Executive Department under Gov. McDonald, and held other posts of responsibility and honor... He was about 65 years of age...

Mrs. Buff, wife of Mr. E. O. Buff, died this (Wednesday) morning on the plantation eight miles below Hawkinsville, after an illness of one week of pneumonia.

Mrs. Rebecca Fitzgerald died in Abbeville, Wilcox County, on the 9th of February, 1880, aged about fifty-one.

On Sunday morning last, at Blue Spring Church, a few miles below Hawkinsville, occurred a most sad and fatal accident. Mr. J. O. Baskin and his wife and two small children were on their way to the church, when the mule attached to the buggy became frightened at a cart on the road. The mule made a sudden dash and Mr. Baskin and his wife were both thrown from the buggy, together with their six months old babe and little boy. The baby was killed by the fall, and father and mother were both severely injured. The babe was taken to the residence of Mr. John McKinney and lived about an hour. The little boy was uninjured by the fall...

Dr. Thomas D. Walker and Miss Jimmie Oberry, daughter of Mr. James E. Oberry, of Cochran, were married on the evening of the 13th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, Rev. M. N. McCall officiating...

Married, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. S. A. Wooten, in Hawkinsville, Ga., on Thursday evening, February 19, 1880, Mr. Murdock A. McEachin, of Telfair County, Ga., to Miss Eula Wooten, of Hawkinsville, Ga., Rev. George R. McCall officiating.

Vol. 14, #10, Thursday Morning, 4 Mar.1880:

Mr. J. H. Jones died of consumption, at Griffin, Ga., last week, and the remains were taken to Twiggs County for burial. He was for many years a citizen and practicing lawyer of Twiggs County, but for the last few years he has been living at Griffin.

From Dublin Post: Mr. B. M. Tindle and Miss F. S. McCrackin were married last Sunday at the home of the bride's father, Rev. D. E. Green officiating.

Dr. Henry J. McLeod died at his home in Pulaski County about 4 o'clock on Tuesday morning last, aged about thirty years. Death resulting from injuries received while riding horseback one day last week. He expressed a desire to be buried by the grave of his brother Daniel at Cedar Creek Church in Wilcox County, and the burial was made in accordance with his request.

Mr. J. Dan Eubanks, whose serious illness was announced in last week's Dispatch, expired on Wednesday evening, February 25, 1880. The burial services were performed by Anderson Lodge No. 24, I.O.O.F. Several members from Pulaski Lodge No. 85., I.O.O.F., of Cochran attended and participated in the ceremonies. The interment took place in Orange Hill cemetery.

Married, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. M. J. Stubbs, in Wilcox County, Ga., on Wednesday evening, February 18th, 1880, Mr. Benjamin D. McAnally, of Pulaski County, to Miss Carrie Lou Stubbs, of Wilcox County, Rev. Elias Turner officiating... A Friend.

In Memoriam: Mrs. E. O. Buff departed this life on the 24th day of February, 1880 at her husbands residence in Pulaski County, Ga., in the 48th year of her age. She had been the faithful, loving and dutiful companion of her husband for a little more than thirty-three years. She was a most affectionate mother to her children, and none except themselves knew to what extent they feel their loss. She had been a consistent member of Antioch Baptist Church, in this county, for several years, and long before her union with the church, her upright christian walk and conversation gave evidence that she loved her saviour, and she died with the full assurance that her reward would be that of the righteous... A friend.

Tribute of Respect of Millwood Lodge, No. 198, F.& A.M. The Grand Master of the universe has removed from our midst our brother James L. Herring, who departed this life February 1st, 1880, at his residence in the 2nd district of Dooly County, surrounded by his family and friends. He was a victim of pneumonia...

Lodge No. 3, F.& A.M., Milledgeville, Ga., paid tribute to Mr. Charles E. Ryan.

From Houston Home Journal: Mrs. John H. Riley, died near Perry last week, after a protracted and painful illness of consumption. She leaves her husband and several small children to mourn her loss.

Vol. 14, #11, Thursday Morning, 11 Mar.1880:

Missing.

Vol. 14, #12, Thursday Morning, 18 Mar.1880:

From Eastman Times: Married in Dodge County, Ga., Feb. 26, 1880, by W. H. Studstill, J.P., Mr. J. E. Conley, of Telfair County to Miss Johanah Dunn.

Mr. K. A. Thompson, a popular young merchant of Cochran, was married on the 4th inst., to Miss Mary Mullis, daughter of Mr. Charles Mullis, of Cochran. Rev. A. M. Williams officiating.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, in Wilcox County, on Thursday evening, March 11, 1880, by Rev. D. W. Taylor, Mr. William Parkerson of Dodge County, to Miss Jane Owens, daughter of Mr. James Owens.

Judge John T. Shine, a prominent citizen of Twiggs County, died on the 3d instant.

Mr. Thomas Cobb, one of the oldest citizens of Dooly County, died on Sunday, February 29, 1880, in the eighty-seventh year of his age. He was the father-in-law of Mr. Bryant A. Wood, who informed us that Mr. Cobb was born in North Carolina, Sept. 11, 1793, and had been living in Georgia about sixty-five years...

Vol. 14, #13, Thursday Morning, 25 Mar.1880:

From Eastman Times, 18th inst: Mrs. Dowdy, widow of the late J. R. Dowdy, died suddenly at her home in this county on the 8th inst. She was about 53 years of age, we learn, and leaves a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn her loss...

In Memoriam: Mrs. S. A. Clarke departed this life on the 20th day of February 1880, at her son's residence in Dooly County, Georgia, in the 65th year of her age. She was a most affectionate mother to her children, and none but themselves know to what extent they feel their loss. She had been a consistent and exemplary member of the Vienna Methodist Church, in Dooly County for 45 years, and gave unmistakable evidence that she certainly loved Him, who first loved us... J.P.H.

Vol. 14, #14, Thursday Morning, 1 Apr.1880:

From Irwinton Southerner and Appeal: On last Monday morning, Mr. Micajah Thompson, a farmer about seventy-four years old, died very suddenly while plowing in a field near his home, about two miles from Irwinton... Mr. Tom Thompson, is son of the deceased.

From last issue of Perry Home Journal: At the residence of Mrs. J. L. Byington, the bride's mother, at Fort Valley, on the 17th instant, by the Rev. Geo. C. Clark, of Sandersville, Mr. W. E. Collier was married to the lovely and accomplished Miss Lillie Byington.

Mr. "Whitehouse" Cason, died in Dooly County on the 20th of March, 1880, aged nearly ninety years. It is said that he was two years older than Mr. Thomas Cobb, who died a few days before.

Judge J. R. Holmes, the Ordinary of Dooly County, was married on the 15th ult., to Mrs. Powell, of that county.

Vol. 14, #15, Thursday Morning, 8 Apr.1880:

Mr. T.A.S. Harwell, the telegraph operator at Perry, died very suddenly at that place on Thursday last, April 1st, aged about twenty-two years. He had been a citizen of Perry for about four years. The remains were taken to Fort Valley for burial.

Died, at her resident in Pulaski County, on the 8th day of April, 1880, Mrs. Lucinda Conner, aged about 58 years.

Died, in Irwin County, Ga., March 26, 1880, Mrs. Nancy Bussell, aged about forty-five years, widow of the late William Bussell.

Dooly County News, Vienna, Ga., April 5, 1880... A little infant of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Everett was buried yesterday in the family burial ground at the churchyard. It had been sick sometime with whooping cough...

Vol. 14, #16, Thursday Morning, 15 Apr.1880:

Mr. Joseph Tooke of Houston County, died on Sunday morning last, 11th inst., after a lingering illness. His death was prematurely announced in these columns a few days ago, and the correction made last week. He had been in declining health for a long time, and his death was not unexpected. Before the war Mr. Tooke was one of the wealthiest men in this section of the state. His landed possessions were very large and he owned many slaves, besides other property.

No accident that has ever transpired in this community was more sincerely regretted than the death of Van Bell yesterday (Tuesday) afternoon. The sad event occurred in his store, on Commerce Street. No one witnessed it. His brother Byrom was in the adjoining room, and heard the report of a pistol, but thought it was fired outside. In a moment he heard the pistol fall upon the floor; then he heard the falling of the body, and rushed in to find his brother in the agonies of death, with a fearful wound in his forehead, and his brains oozing out. Several hastened to the scene, and found the poor man breathing his last... Van Bell was twenty-eight years of age. He married a year or two ago, and leaves a young wife and a babe three weeks old. The burial will take place this (Wednesday) afternoon at four o'clock at Orange Hill Cemetery.

Judge Samuel D. Killen, a prominent citizen of Houston County, died at Perry on Monday evening, April 5th, 1880, after a lingering illness of nine months. Speaking of his death, the Home Journal says: No man ever lived in this county who enjoyed to a greater extent the respect and confidence of the people. He was buried on Tuesday with Masonic honors. The following is also from the Home Journal of last week: Dr. Geo. L. D. Rice, one of the best citizens of Houston County, died at his home, near Marshallville, yesterday morning about two o'clock, of heart disease.

Dooly County News, Vienna, Ga., April 12, 1880: Mr. L. T. McColl and Miss Nettie Swearingen were married Sunday morning last, Rev. W. P. Jordan officiating; Bob Andrews, of the 3rd district, died on the 9th inst., after an illness of about a week; and Terrel Watson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Watson, died last week after a short illness of only about three days.

Vol. 14, #17, Thursday Morning, 22 Apr.1880:

Laurens County items from the Dublin Post of the 14th instant: Mr. Thomas Brigman and Miss Rebecca King were married last Thursday evening by Rev. W. S. Ramsey; and Mr. Braxton Hilliard, a renerable citizen of Laurens County, died on last Monday morning of consumption...

Mr. R. N. Carter, who has been conduction a tailoring business in this place for quite a number of years, died on Wednesday night of last week.

Married, on Wednesday the 14th inst, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. C. T. Goode, in this place, Mr. E. M. Brown, of Putnam County, and Miss Janie L. Goode, Rev. S. Landrum, D.D. of Savannah, officiating. The happy occassion took place on the 55th anneversary of the marriage of Gen. and Mrs. Eli Warren, of Perry, grand-parents of the bride, both of whom were present to witness the ceremony...

Married, at the residence of the bride's mother, in Hawkinsville, on Sunday last, by Rev. F. C. Waite, Mr. W. H. Hughes and Miss M. E. Bartlett.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Murphey, of Monroe County, are visiting relatives in Pulaski. They came down in response to a telegram announcing the serious illness of Mrs. R. S. Anderson, Sr., mother of Mrs. Murphey.

Married, at the First Baptist Church in Cochran, on Sunday evening, 18th inst., by Rev. Geo. R. McCall, Mr. Thomas R. Hendricks to Miss Hennie Raiford, all of Cochran.

Vol. 14, #18, Thursday Morning, 29 Apr.1880:

Mr. Crawford Hart, of Atlanta, died on Saturday, the 17th inst. Mr. Hart was a citizen of Hawkinsville from 1850 up to a few years after the war, when he removed to Atlanta.

Vol. 14, #19, Thursday Morning, 6 May 1880:

Mr. Stephen Coleman's little daughter (the only one) was buried at the cemetery in Hawkinsville on Friday last. The child was fatally burned on Thursday morning, and died that afternoon after intense suffering...

Married, on the night of the 22nd ult., at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Clark Willcox, by Rev. J. K. Williamson, Mr. John Dorster, of Wilcox County, and Miss Mary Willcox of Telfair County... K.

Death of Mrs. Sarah M(aria) Ryan. The death of this estimable lady occurred on Friday last at 3 o'clock p.m., at the residence of her uncle, Hon. P. T. McGriff. The deceased was the wife of the late Dr. J. D. L. Ryan, by whose side she now rests in "the sleep that knows no walking." Born and raised in Pulaski County, and for many years a resident of our town, she leaves many besides relatives to mourn her loss... Amicus. (Compiler's Note states she was

daughter of John Joseph Taylor and Mary Ann McGriff. Also that her husbands full name was Thom Dennis Lawrence Ryan and that the initial "J" of his name in the article should be "T.")

Vol. 14, #20, Thursday Morning, 13 May 1880:

Mr. Allen L. Hobbs, of Laurens County and Miss Annie E. Graham, of Telfair County, were married on the 28th ult.

Mr. Mark Kemp, an aged and highly esteemed citizen of Dooly County, died on the 7th inst... His death, it is thought, resulted from heart disease.

Mr. John M. Stokes, a prominent citizen of Pulaski County, died at his home on the east side of the river, on Saturday, the 8th inst., of paralysis.

Luke Sapp, Jr., died at his home in Dodge County on the 24th of April last. Mr. Sapp was born in Burke County, Ga., on the 30th day of January 1818, and at the time of his death was in the 63rd year of his age. The deceased moved with his father to Pulaski County in 1824, and had been a citizen of the country from that date until the organization of Dodge County in 1870, when he became a citizen of Dodge. Mr. Sapp held various offices within the gift of the people of his county, and always won the esteem and confidence of his constituents. During the late war between the North and South he performed the services of a faithful soldier, first in Capt. T. D. L. Ryan's company in the 8th Georgia regiment and then in Capt. P. T. McGriff's company in the 10th Confederate cavalry... Mr. Sapp suffered from a cancer on his face for twelve or fifteen years, and this affliction was the cause of his death. The deceased left two brothers and one sister - Dr. David Sapp, of Dodge County, Mr. William R. Sapp, of Pulaski, and Mrs. Mary Pipkin, of Pulaski. Also a widow and eight children...

Vol. 14, #21, Thursday Morning, 20 May 1880:

Mr. Charles R. Hodges, editor of the Irwinton Southerner and Appeal, and Miss. Aurora I. Bower, daughter of Judge J. C. Bower, were married in Irwinton on Tuesday, 11th inst...

Married, at the residence of the bride, in Dooly County, Ga., on the 20th ult., by Rev. B. F. Tharpe, of Perry, Ga., Mr. J. Netherton, of Fisherville, Kentucky, to Mrs. S. J. Felder.

Married, at the residence of Mr. L. Laidler, near Henderson, Houston County, Ga., on the 11th inst., Mr. W. F. Engram, of Pulaski County, and Mrs. A. E. Marshall of the former place. Rev. A. M. Williams officiating.

On Tuesday, April 27th, little George, infant child of Mr. James Martin, of Dubois, No. 14 M. & B. R.R., died under circumstances that justify the belief that death resulted from poison intended for the destruction of Mr. Martin's dog. The child was about fifteen months old, and had been playing about the yard. The dog was taken sick at the sametime. The child was rendered ill

from the poison on Monday, and lived eight days...

Died, at Towns, No. 10 M. & B. R.R., on the 18th of April, of consumption, Mrs. Mattied Johnson, aged 37 years. She leaves three small children and many friends to mourn her loss... M.I.

Vol. 14, #22, Thursday Morning, 27 May 1880:

Missing. (Editor's Note: Out of sequence, see page 205.)

Vol. 14, #23, Thursday Morning, 3 Jun.1880:

Col. Hardy Morgan died at the residence of his son, Mr. A. G. Morgan, in Dooly County, on Wednesday, May 26th, 1880, aged about seventy-six years. He was born in Jefferson County, Ga., and had lived in this section of the state since about 1836.

Mr. James Turrentine, an aged and highly esteemed citizen of Houston County, died on Monday, 24th ult. The Home Journal, in speaking of his death, says: Mr. Turrentine was about seventy years old, and had been a resident of Houston County for over thirty years. He was one of the best men we ever knew - a conscientious and consistent member of the Methodist Church...

Vol. 14, #24, Thursday Morning, 10 Jun.1880:

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, (Mr. K. A. Jeter,) in Houston County, on the 2nd inst., by Rev. Mr. Evans, Mr. Edward O. Buff, of Pulaski, to Mrs. C. A. McCormick, of Houston.

Levi H. Harrell, J.P., on Monday last united in the holy bonds of matrimony, Mr. David H. Holt and Miss Martha J. Eddings. The ceremony was performed in D. C. Joiner and Bro's. store, in Hawkinsville, in the presence of few witnesses. The young couple, it is said, left their homes on Sunday for the purpose of being united, but the joyful event was not consummated until Monday...

Vol. 14, #25, Thursday Morning, 17 Jun.1880:

Married, at the residence of D. C. Cravey, by W. H. Studstill, N.P., June 6, 1880, Mr. James McRanie to Miss Sarah Pickren. All of Dodge County.

We find the following announcement of the death of Mr. Thomas Grace in the Thomasville Enterprise of last week. This gentleman, well known in this section, died at his home three miles east of Thomasville at 2½ o'clock on last Monday. He was taken sick at his plantation in Baker County on Saturday the 29th of May, and arrived at home on Sunday. Every attention, medical and otherwise, was given him, but to no avail... Mr. Grace was born and reared in Houston County. When a young man he moved to Hawkinsville and there lived, engaged in merchandising, until 1866, when he came to Thomasville. Since that time he has been farming and cotton buying. By industry and frugality he amassed a comfortable competency. He leaves a wife, but no child, we believe.

He was about 58 years of age. His remains were interred in Laural Hill Cemetery at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Vol. 14, #26, Thursday Morning, 24 Jun.1880:

Missing.

Vol. 14, #27, Thursday Morning, 1 Jul.1880:

Mr. Joseph Sumner, one of the oldest and most highly respected citizens of Worth County, died on the 14th inst. It is stated, that he was between eighty and ninety years old at the time of death, and that thoughout his long life he always bore a high reputation as a most worthy man.

The Thomasville Times of the 26th ult says: A postal card from Mr. C. H. Goodell, received yesterday, announces the death of Mr. Dan'l Lott, at his home at Waycross, at 3 o'clock on the 24th. He was taken sick on Monday and died of congestion of the lungs.

Mr. Lott Whiddon, aged about eighty-four years, died at the home of his son in Irwin County, Ga., on the 22nd day of June, 1880. He was one of the oldest citizens of this county, and was esteemed by all who knew him. A brief sketch of his life will appear in the next issue of the Dispatch.

Mrs. Partin, wife of Mr. Plez Partin, was burned to death on Wednesday evening last under the following circumstances: She had taken a can of kerosene oil and was in the act of filling a lamp, which had not been extinguished, and, as she unscrewed the top on the can, the oil gushed out and an instantaneous and fearful explosion followed. Her clothing was saturated with burning fluid and she was immediately enveloped in flames. Her husband, who was on the river bridge, hearing her screams for help, ran to her assistance, but she was horribly and fatally burned before his arrival. All her clothing was consumed, and the flesh literally crisped. She lived only three hours. She was the daughter of Mr. Theophilus Williams.

Mr. Robert B. Lewis died at Gum Creek (Dooly County) on the 9th of June... (Compiler's Note states he was son of Faulton K. Lewis, and that records for Butts Cemetery show he was b. 21 Oct.1844 and d. 7 Jun.1880.)

Vol. 14, #28, Thursday Morning, 8 Jul.1880:

Due to 4th of July celebration, no paper was printed.

Vol. 14, #29, Thursday Morning, 15 Jul.1880:

From Irwinton Appeal: Mrs. Rebecca, wife of John Morgan, was found dead in her bed on last Thursday morning. She had but lately been sick with the measles, and was still rather weak from its effects. We have been unable to gather full particulars, but learn that her death was from consumption. She leaves a husband and three children to mourn her loss.

Obituary: The 22nd day of June, 1880, closed the earthly career of Mr. Lott Whiddon, one of the oldest citizens of Irwin Count, who died from the effect of cancer of the face, at the residence of his son, Mr. J. W. Whiddon, Sr., at 12 m... Mr. Lott Whiddon was born in Darlington District, S.C. on the 25th day of December, 1796. Moving to Georgia at an early age he settled in Irwin County, near Irwinville, fifty years ago. After about three years residence he removed to the 2nd district of Irwin, to the place where he remained as long as he kept house. After his children left him in 1870 he sold out and lived among his children, finally taking up residence with his son, Mr. J. W. Whiddon, where he died as above stated... He was a consistent member of the Pritive Baptist Church. Joining said church about forty years ago he remained in full fellowship until the day of his death... He passed away quietly in the eight-fourth year of his age... A friend, Ty Ty, Ga., 25 Jun.1880.

Obituary: Died May 18, 1880, at her late residence in Dooly County, Ga., of cancer of the chest, after a painful illness of about six weeks, Mrs. Sarah Green Peacock, in the seventy-fourth year of her age. Mrs. Peacock was the daughter of Francis and Nancy Shine, and was born in Duplin County, N.C., February 13, 1807. After the death of her parents, Miss Shine came with her brothers from North Carolina in 1833 and settled in Houston County, Ga., where, in 1837, she was married to Mr. John Peacock. Her husband moved his family in 1854 to Dooly County, where they have since remained. She joined the Baptist Church in 1835 and was until her death a member of that church... Bereaved of her husband in 1857, she assumed the responsibility of both father and mother and nobly has she discharged this sacred thrust... J.S.B. (Compiler's note states cemetery listing GCB, page 333, shows John Peacock and wife Susan Shine Peacock interred Henderson Cemetery, Houston County, Ga., and that he was born in Johnson County, NC, Dec.30, 1793 and died Dooly County, Ga., 31 Jul.1857.)

Mrs. Polly Ann McDonald, wife of Mr. M. McDonald, of Dooly County, died on the 30th ult., aged 56 years. Mrs. McDonald had been confined to her bed about thirteen years. (Compiler's note states GCB Cemetery Listing, page 322, shows Polly Ann McDonald, consort of Elder Middleton McDonald, June 25,1804-June 30,1880 buried at Mt. Olive Cemetery, Old Vienna & Perry Road.)

Little Normon, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Pope, of Pulaski County, died on the 6th inst., aged 1 year, 6 months and 23 days.

Married, at the residence of Rev. R. O. Holton, in this county, on the 8th inst., Mr. W. L. Trammell and Miss Leonora Marchman. Rev. R. O. Holton, officiating.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Thomas King, in Pulaski County, on the 8th inst., by Rev. E. A. Burch, Mr. Josephus Tarver, of Hawkinsville, and Miss Z. E. King...

Vol. 14, #30, Thursday Morning, 22 Jul.1880:

Mr. Jacob Harrison, of Hawkinsville, died at the residence of his sister in New York on the first day of July, 1880, aged about thirty years. Mr. Harrison

came to Hawkinsville in the fall of 1866, and was a brother of Mr. Morris Harrison, who, with Mr. Aaron Waterman, was drowned at sea while returning to Germany in the spring of 1875. Marx, the only one of the brothers left, is living in Hawkinsville, and received last week the news of his brother Jacob's death in New York.

Mr. John F. Bearden, aged twenty-one years, died at the residence of John H. Kendrick, in Hawkinsville, on Tuesday morning, July 20th, after an illness of scarcely a week. He was the only son of Mr. Giles D. Bearden, of Houston County, and was an exemplary young man in every respect. He was a member of the Episcopal Church and Sunday School, and was a regular attendant... The remains were taken on Tuesday to Hickory Grove, where they will be interred in the family cemetery.

Mrs. Janie Sellers departed this life at her home in Appling County, Ga., July 4th 1880, aged about twenty-eight years. The deceased was a daughter of Capt. D. Curry, of Coffee County.

Vol. 14, #31, Thursday Morning, 29 Jul.1880:

None noted.

Vol. 14, #32, Thursday Morning, 5 Aug.1880:

Tribute of Respect by St. Luke's Sunday School, Hawkinsville, Ga., Aug. 1, 1880: John F. Bearden (no family data).

Vol. 14, #33, Thursday Morning, 12 Aug.1880:

None noted.

Vol. 14, #34, Thursday Morning, 19 Aug.1880:

Died, at the residence of her son-in-law, Judge J. H. Woodward, in Dooly County, on Thursday, August 10, 1880, Mrs. Mary H. McCormick, aged about 80 years. She was the mother of Mr. D. G. McCormick, of this place, and the remains were interred at the old family burial grounds in Pulaski County, on Saturday last. She had been a member of the Primitive Baptist Church about fifty years and was highly esteemed for her many noble traits of character. (Compiler's note states Mary Hardesty Cannon, was born July 29, 1800, daughter of Jessee Cannon and Frances Hardesty.)

Mr. B. W. Lundy, who has been a citizen of Hawkinsville since January last, committed suicide at the home of his father, near Macon, on Tuesday morning last... Bright W. Lundy, son of Judge William Lundy...

Vol. 14, #35, Thursday Morning, 26 Aug.1880:

We are in receipt of a letter from Dr. C. E. Clarke, written at Palmer, Ellis

County, Texas the 27th of last month. Dr. Clarke was an old and well known citizen of this county, and still speaks of this as his home...

Mr. James F. Leonard, a well known citizen of Dooly County, died on Monday morning last, after a protracted illness. The remains were interred in the family burial ground, by the side of his father and mother, near the old homestead... He was probably forty-eight or fifty years of age, and had never married... (Compiler's Note: He was son of Willis Leonard b. 1797, d. Dooly Co, Jan. 20, 1853 and wife Sarah, she b. 1801, d. Dooly Co, Ga., Aug. 29, 1853.)

Died, in Wilcox County, August 2, 1880, Wade Hampton, son of Andrew and Mrs. Celia Fuller, aged 3 years, 9 months and 4 days.

Vol. 14, #36, Thursday Morning, 2 Sep.1880:

Mr. Frank Herzog, died in this place on Friday night last of consumption. Mr. Herzog was a popular young merchant, and had been doing business here for several years. He was well known in Fort Valley and Perry, and his death was prematurely announced in the papers of those places several days ago. The deceased was a native of Austria, but came to America before he attained his manhood. The burial took place at the cemetery on Saturday afternoon, and was conducted by the members of the Masonic lodge of this place. Mr. Herzog was married to Miss Fannie Buff, of this county, in the autumn of 1878. She has many friends who sympathize with her in her beravement.

John Brown Defends Himself. An Attempt to Ku Klux a Colored Man in Pulaski County - Two White Men Shot Dead - A Brave Negro Defends Himself in His Cabin - And is Justified by the Citizens: In this county, five miles above Cochran, on Wednesday night last, two young white men (brothers) met a terrible but just death. These young men were Frank and Mack Dykes, sons of Mr. Moses Dykes, a respected citizen, aged probably seventy years...

Judge John H. Taylor died suddenly, of congestive chill, at his home in the lower part of Pulaski County, on Saturday night, August 28th, 1880, in the seventieth year of his age. Judge Taylor was born in Washington County, Ga., in 1811, and removed with his parents to Houston County in 1822. Afterward he moved to Dooly County, and in 1857 was elected by the Democrats of Dooly to the legislature. He moved to Hawkinsville in the latter part of 1857, and engaged in merchantile business. Since the war he has been engaged in farming. Judge Taylor was taken with a chill about twelve o'clock on Saturday, and died about nine o'clock that night. He was a brother of Sheriff, D. W. Taylor, of Pulaski County, and Mr. Simeon L. Taylor, of Dooly, and father of W. M. Taylor, of the Scarborough House in this place. The burial took place at the cemetery in Hawkinsville on Sunday afternoon, and was conducted with Masonic ceremonies.

Vol. 14, #37, Thursday Morning, 9 Sep.1880:

Married, at the residence of Mr. J. M. Carroll, in this place, on the 29th ult., Mr. D(avid) E. Sullivan and Miss Almeda L. Rozar. A. C. Pipkin, Esq.,

officiating.

Rev. Joseph Davis, aged seventy-four years, died in Wilcox County on Friday last, September 3d. The deceased was an elder of the Primitive Baptist Church, and was an old citizen of this section.

Obituary: Mrs. Sarah Sutton, widow of Andrew J. Sutton, died at her home in Irwin County, July 19, 1880, aged about 63 years. Mrs. Sutton and her husband came to the 6th district of Irwin County, from Dooly County, about 1856, where they remained as long as they lived. She joined the Baptist Church at an early age and remaind a consistent member up to the time of her death... As a mother, she was kind and affectionate... She left a number of children, relatives and friends to cherish the fond hope of this earthly loss being her spiritual gain... J.W.W., Ty Ty, Ga., August 8, 1880.

Vol. 14, #38, Thursday Morning, 16 Sep.1880:

Deaths: Leugenia, daughter of J. N. and Susan Ridley, of this county, died on Thursday, 7th inst., aged 9 years; Mr. and Mrs. James Buryhill, of this county, lost two children last week. Little Willie, aged six years, died on Friday, and little Fannie died on Saturday; and Alberta, daughter of M. F. and Josephine Jones, of this county, died on Tuesday night, 7th inst, aged 19 months.

From the Home Journal (Houston County): Mrs. D. G. Hughes, mother of Mrs. E. L. Dennard, of Perry, died at her home in Twiggs County one day last week. We have not heard the particulars of her death... Miss Leah Woodward, daughter of Mrs. Leah Woodward, of this county, died last Tuesday of bilious fever. She was just entering womanhood, and was highly esteemed by all who knew her...

Vol. 14, #39, Thursday Morning, 23 Sep.1880:

Mr. Wright Tomberlin died at his home in Wilcox County on Saturday night last. Mr. Tomberlin was probably upward of sixty years of age, and was an excellent citizen and most highly esteemed by those who knew him.

Mr. Moses J. Daniel was married to Miss Annie B. Coffee at the residence of Mr. Peter H. Coffee, Sr., on the 12th inst. All of Dodge County. Mr. Daniel and his bride were given a hansome reception by their grandparents, Mr. W. W. Harrell, at his residence in Eastman.

Obituary: After a very short illness, little Allie Jones, only child of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Jones, aged 19 months, went to Heaven from her father's home on Pine Level, Pulaski County, Ga., September 7th, 1880... W.

Vol. 14, #40, Thursday Morning, 30 Sep.1880:

In Memory of Wright Tomberlin, who departed this life at his home in Wilcox County, Ga., on the 17th day of September, 1880, in the sixty-first year of his age. Wright Tomberlin was born in Wilkinson County, Ga., on the 30th day of

July, 1817. In the year 1832 he moved to Irwin County, Ga., and remained upon the place where he first settled until the day of his death, which occurred after an illness of six days of paralysis of the bowels. The deceased raised a family of eleven children, all of whom enjoyed the best of health and grew to manhood and womanhood, and all but one having married... On the morning of the 19th of September, 1880 - the Holy Sabbath day - at eight o'clock, the old homestead and premises were crowded with his relatives and numerous friends to take the last farewell look at old uncle Wright Tomberlin, whose remains were borne by the Fraternity to their last resting place in the family cemetery. Here his body was deposited beneath the earth with all the honors that could be conferred. The funeral services were conducted by Revs. O. D. Mulky, J. W. Mashburne and Elias Turner...

Vol. 14, #41, Thursday Morning, 7 Oct.1880:

We learn that Mr. Powell Daniel, of Hayneville, Houston County, was found dead in his bed on Saturday morning last. He had been ill health for a number of years.

Died, on Monday last, in Wilcox County, Mrs. Samuel Young, aged about 63 years. Mrs. Young was an estimable christian hearted lady, and leaves a husband and six or seven children to mourn her loss. She was a sister of Judge James Luke, the Ordinary of Wilcox County.

The Hon. Smith Turner, of Wilcox County, died at his home in Abbeville on Wednesday morning, October 6th, 1880, aged about seventy-two years. We cannot, in this issue, more than briefly announce the death of this worthy and honored citizen. Judge Turner was in every sense an honest man, a sincere friend and a devoted husband and father. Many years ago he was Sheriff of Irwin County, and represented his people in the legislature. He was also Oridinary of Wilcox County. We have known Judge Turner for many years, and have had dealings with him, and we can bear testimony to his noble qualities as a citizen and a friend.

Mrs. Sarah Caldwell, for many years a citizen of Fort Valley, died the other day at Hempstead, Texas.

The Houston Home Journal of last week announces the death of Mr. George M. Duncan, at the residence of his father, Col. C. C. Duncan, in Perry, on Thursday, 23d ult., aged about 76 years. The Journal says: Mr. Duncan was one of the oldest settlers of this county, and was an honored and useful citizen. He was for several years Sheriff of this county in the palmy days of the Republic, was a member of the Baptist Church and of the order of Free Masons. For several years, until a recent date, he lived at Cuthbert, Ga., and Mellonville, Fla., where he planted and reared an orange grove. Mr. Duncan's wife and children all preceded him "to that bourne from which no traveller returns," and his spirit winged its way to join them, as "calmly as to a night's repose." Many friends followed his remains to their resting place, and he was buried with the usual honors by the Masonic Lodge at Perry. (Editor's Note: Col. C. C. Duncan was his nephew, not his father.)

Vol. 14, #42, Thursday Morning, 14 Oct.1880:

Deaths in Pulaski: Mrs. Newman, wife of Mr. Arthur Newman, died on Monday last. She had been an invalid and confined to her bed for many years; Grandma Smith, aged about eighty years, died at the home of Mr. J. J. Daniels, a few days ago; and Newton Coley, aged about seventeen years, died at the home of his mother, four miles west of Hawkinsville on Monday night last, of fever. He was a son of late Capt. G. R. Coley, who died the 8th of January last.

Mr. Leonard Lock died at his home near Eureka, in Dooly County, on Saturday morning last of congestion of the bowels. Mr. Lock was about sixty-five years of age, and had been a citizen of Dooly County for about thirty-three years, having moved from Laurens County to Dooly about the year 1847.

Married, at the residence of the bride's mother, Sept, 30th, 1880, by Rev. T. A. White, Mr. T. J. Futch and Miss Alice Knapp, all of Thomas County, Ga.

Mr. Hayden Hughes, of Atlanta, died a few days ago. He was the father of Mr. D. G. Hughes, of Twiggs County, a gentleman well known throughout middle Georgia.

Obituary: Departed this life in Dooly County, Ga., on Monday night, 4th of October, 1880, Mrs. Queen Ellen Slade, wife of Jeremiah Slade, and daughter of Shadwell and Frances Culpepper. Sister Slade was born March 6th, 1827. She was married to Jeremiah Slade on the 2nd of September, 1858. Joined the Baptist Church at Ebenezer in August, 1846, and was baptized by the Rev. Mr. Lunsford, where she remained a member up to the time of her death... Ebenezer church has lost a good member. Her husband a loving wife and her son a devoted mother... R.M.D.

Obituary: Sallie L. Holton, daughter of Rev. Robert O. and Martha Holton, was born December 13, 1869, and died in Pulaski County, Ga., October 4, 1880... Her Teacher.

Vol. 14, #43, Thursday Morning, 21 Oct.1880:

Married, on Wednesday evening, 13th inst., at the M. E. Church, Mr. Robert C. Halliburton and Miss Annie E. Henley were united in the holy bands of matrimony. Rev. A. M. Williams officiating... The bride is a niece of Capt. Thomas Henley, of Hawkinsville, and was formerly a resident of London, Tennessee...

Married, on the 17th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. C. W. Hand, by Rev. Washington Tharpe, Mr. John L. Whitehurst, of Twiggs County, to Miss Ida C. Hand, of Sumter County.

Died, in Wilcox County, on Thursday, 7th inst., Mrs. Fannie Reid, wife of Hon. Drury Reid. Mrs. Reid was sick only one day, and died of congestion of the brain. She was an estimable christian - hearted lady, and the community in which she lived has suffered an irreparable loss. Mrs. Reid was aged about

35 years. (Compiler Note: Buried in Drury H. Reid Cemetery, Wilcox County.)

Married, on Sunday morning, 10th inst., at the residence of Dr. John Laidler, father of the bride, Mr. D. C. Turrentine and Miss F. E. Laidler, all of Houston County.

Mr. W. J. Faulk, of Houston County, died at the residence of Dr. Massey, near Gordon, Wilkinson County, the 10th day of October, 1880. Mr. Faulk was about twenty-two years of age, and was raised in Houston County, and was well known in Hawkinsville. He had been in bad health since May last, and had gone to Wilkinson County to be treated by Dr. Massey.

Dodge County News... We regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Hiram J. Sapp, who died last week, in the thirtieth year of her age...

Vol. 14, #44, Thursday Morning, 28 Oct.1880:

Missing.

Vol. 14, #45, Thursday Morning, 4 Nov.1880:

Mr. C. H. Hall, of Dodge Country, was killed at Cochran, in this county, on Thursday night last. The unfortunate affair occurred in the bar and billiard saloon of Wright & Ward... Cochran, October 30, 1880. W.

Mr. John H. M. Atkinson died at his home in Pulaski County on Tuesday, October 26, 1880, aged about sixty-eight years.

Mr. Luke Sapp, Sr., died at the home of his son-in-law, Mr. J. W. Bateman, in Pulaski County, on Thursday night, October 28, 1880. Mr. Sapp was born in Burke County, Ga., in 1797, and would have been eighty-four years old in April next. He was one of the oldest citizens of Pulaski, and had lived in the county about fifty years.

Mr. Eli Shivers, an old citizen of Dooly County, died at his home in the Third District on Wednesday last, October 27th, aged upward of sixty years.

Mr. P. B. Monk died in Dooly County on Friday, October 22, 1880, of congestive chill. The deceased was one of the most brighly esteemed citizens of Dooly county, and was a worthy and exemplary gentleman. He became a citizen of Dooly about twelve years ago, having moved from Crawfordville, Taliaferro County, about the year 1868.

In Memory of Little Mattie Cora Fitzgerald. On Friday last the spirit of little Mattie took its flight to the "beautiful land on high,"... V.J., Magnolia Dell, Oct. 18, 1880.

Died, in Dooly County, Ga., October 12, 1880, Georgia Ann Bowen, daughter of Amariah and Georgia Ann A. Bowen, aged about 13 years... A friend.

Houston County News From Perry Home Journal: Mr. William Oglesby, of this county, the well known Confederate soldier who lost both of his eyes and both hands, by the explosion of a bomb shell, died at his residence near Hayneville last Monday morning. He leaves a wife and several children; We regret to learn of the death of Mr. Daniel Adams, which occurred at his residence near Fort Valley last Sunday. The burial took place at Fort Valley on Monday morning. Mr. Adams was one of the oldest and best known farmers of Houston County, and lived several miles below Perry many years of his life. He leaves an aged wife.

Vol. 14, #46, Thursday Morning, 11 Nov.1880:

None noted.

Vol. 14, #47, Thursday Morning, 18 Nov.1880:

Mr. Cullen T. Lane died at his home in Pulaski County on Monday last, November 15th. He had been in low health for a long time, but his death was unexpected.

Death of Rev. Larkin Joiner. This well known and beloved old man died on Sunday morning last, November 14th, at the residence of his son, Mr. David C. Joiner, in Hawkinsville, after a long illness. Rev. Larkin Joiner was born in Nash County, North Carolina, June 20, 1809, and was therefore in his seventy-second year. In 1815 he moved with his parents to Georgia and settled in Laurens County, twelve miles below Dublin. January 5, 1825, he moved to Pulaski County. Was married July 17, 1834, and was baptized July 5, 1835. Began preaching in 1844, and in January, 1845, was ordained as a minister in the Baptist Church by Rev. Joseph Ross, Larry Hobbs and J. B. Smith. Rev. Larkin Joiner was industrious, pious and charitable. He was exemplary in his conduct, and was loved and respected by all who knew him. The deceased was father of the three merchants of this place - David C., John J. and W. L. Joiner.

We have been shown an interesting private letter from Mr. Calvin Leary, living near Minden, Louisiana, to his nephew, Mr. S. W. Brown, of this county. Mr. Leary is over seventy years of age, and moved from Georgia to Louisiana about twenty-five years ago...

Vol. 14, #48, Thursday Morning, 25 Nov.1880:

The Montezuma Weekly announces the death of Mr. C. C. Lilly at Thomasville on the 11th day of this month. Mr. Lilly was a son of Hon. John E. Lilly, Clerk of Superior Court of Dooly County. The Weekly says: Mr. Lilly had been sick for some time with that relentless disease, consumption. He tried the pure atmosphere of North Georgia, but found that he was growing worse daily. He then went to Thomasville, thinking, perhaps, that the balmy air of that section would help him; but the messenger had come and he must go. Mr. Lilly, was a member, in good standing of Minor Lodge No. 1503 K.& H. The members of his lodge met his remains at the depot on arrival. He was buried in Felton Cemetery. He leaves a young wife to mourn his loss. She has the sympathy of our entire community.

Houston County Items: Mr. D(avid) H. Riley died at his residence in Perry on Thursday night, November 11th inst. The Home Journal noticing the death says: On Saturday morning a large number of friends joined the funeral procession to Evergreen Cemetery, and there the burial ceremonies were performed by the Masons, of which order Mr. Riley was a member. He was about 63 years of age, was born in Orangeburg, South Carolina, and has been a resident of Houston County since he was about eighteen years old; On Wednesday of last week a little daughter of Mr. Thos. S. Gammage, near Hayneville, this county, was so badly scalded that she died that night. Mr. Gammage was engaged in killing and cleaning a hog on a platform, and near by was a tub full of hot water. His little girl, about two and a half years old, wanted to assist her father, and while standing near him, slipped and fell backwards into the tub of hot water. She was terribly scalded, and thought the best medical service was rendered, she died that night...

Vol. 14, #49, Thursday Morning, 2 Dec.1880:

Married, on Sunday, 28th ult., at the residence of the bride's father, in this county, Mr. J. S. Fink to Miss Alice Newman, daughter of Mr. Arthur Newman, Rev. Geo. R. McCall officiating...

From Macon Telegraph & Messenger: Early on Thanksgiving morn intelligence was received in this city of the sudden and tragic death of Mr. E. S. Griffin, Jr., of Twiggs County... The funeral of Mr. Griffin occurred yesterday. He leaves a wife and seven children. His father was formerly Sheriff of Twiggs County, was a delegate to the late guvernatorial convention. (Compiler's Note: He was killed when buggy overturned.)

Vol. 14, #50, Thursday Morning, 9 Dec.1880:

The Irwinton Southerner and Appeal of last week announces the departure of O. Bowers, Esq., for Dallas, Texas, where he goes to pursue the practice of law...

Mr. Jacob Epstein died in Savannah on Thursday morning last, December 2d. He was father of Mr. S. J. Epstein, of Hawkinsville.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Dr. J. B. Smith, in Perry, on Thursday, December 2d, by Rev. N. B. Ousley, Mr. S. H. Morgan, of Hawkinsville, to Miss Annie L. Smith.

Houston County Items From Houston Home Journal: On last Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, Rev. N. B. Ousley performed the ceremony that made Mr. Charles P. Marshall and Miss Florence Gordon man and wife. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Absolum Marshall, near Perry, and the bride a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Gordon, of Perry. The marriage took place at the residence of the bride's father, and the following young ladies and gentlemen were attendants of the bridal couple, Mr. Frank Coney, of Hawkinsville, and Miss Margaret Gordon, sister of the bride, Mr. W. M. Gordon, brother of the bride, and Miss Eva Coney, of Hawkinsville...

Vol. 14, #51, Thursday Morning, 16 Dec.1880:

Mrs. Anna A. Kinchen, wife of Mr. Hardy Kinchen, and daughter of Mr. Arthur Newman, died on Saturday last of typhoid fever. Two other members of Mr. Newman's family are also reported seriously ill of typhoid fever.

Mrs. Sallie Anderson, wife of Mr. R. S. Anderson, Sr., of this county, died on Sunday, 12th inst. of dropsey. The remains were interred in Orange Hill cemetery on Monday last. Mrs. Anderson was one of the most lovely and kind hearted women of our county and leaves a large number of relatives and friends to mourn her loss.

Mrs. Elizabeth Pope, of this county, died on Thursday, 2nd inst., of pneumonia, aged about 68 years.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. W. W. Culpepper, on Sunday evening, Dec. 5th, 1880, by J. O. Baskin, J.P., Mr. Albert G. Bagby to Miss Ora Culpepper, all of Pulaski County.

Mr. Joseph Manning, of Dodge County, and Miss. Hattie Woodward, of Pulaski, daughter of Mr. C. B. Woodard, were married at the residence of the bride's father on Thursday evening, the 2nd inst... Eastman Times.

Vol. 14, #52, Thursday Morning, 23 Dec.1880:

Dodge County Items From Eastman Times: We are sorry to learn through the Dublin Post of the death of Sam'l H. Daniel, an aged and highly respected citizen of Laurens County.

In the last issue of the Dispatch we announced the death of Mrs. Anna Kinchen, daughter of Mr. Arthur Newman, and stated that two other members of the family were seriously ill with typhoid fever. Since then both have died - Miss. Rebecca died on Thursday last, and John, his youngest son, died on Friday last.

Mr. William S. Harrison, living near McLeod's Mills, in this county, died last week of pneumonia.

Mr. Shade Smith died in Dodge County on Friday morning, December 17, 1880, aged one hundred and five years. Mr. Smith was considered one of the oldest men in Dodge County, and it is scarcely probable that his age was less than one hundred and five years. He is well remembered by the older citizens, who say that he was a very old man in their early years. Among others who knew him in their boyhood days are Hon. Nicholas Rawlins, the present Representative of Dodge County, and Mr. William Phillips. Mr. Rawlins states that, in his early life, he knew the deceased, and he was at that period regarded as a very old man. Mr. Phillips knew him about twenty-six years ago, and at that time Mr. Smith was considered one of the oldest men in the county. The deceased became blind and helpless some years ago, and with the failure of the physical system, his mind also grew weak. There is but little doubt

that he had attained the remarkable age of over one hundred years. He was at one time a citizen of Laurens County, and belonged to the Rocky Creek Church.

Dr. Bartow McRae, of Telfair County, son of Hon. M. H. McRae, was married in Atlanta, on the 14th inst., to Miss Ida O'Conner.

Hon. John Wilcox, the late Representaive of Telfair County, died at his home near Temperance, in that county, on Thursday, December 16, 1880, in the sixty-seventh year of his age. During the recent session of the legislature Mr. Wilcox, while in Atlanta, contracted pneumonia, but so far recovered as to be able to return home, when a relapse occurred, and he died after a few days illness. Mr. Wilcox was elected to the legislature at the first election after the constitutional convention, and was re-elected in October last...

Tribute of Respect by Millwood Lodge No. 198, F.& A.M. The Grand Master of the universe has seen proper to remove from us by death Rev. Larkin Joiner, who departed this life on November 14, 1880, in his seventy-second year. He had previous to his death been a member of the Baptist Church forty-five years, a minister of the gospel for thirty-five years, a member of the Houston Baptist Association for thirty-seven years, and often a member of the Georgia Baptist State Convention. He was a charter member of Millwood Lodge No. 198, having been made a Mason in Farmers' Lodge No. 117 at Vienna. Brother Joiner was a great sufferer for a number of years, but especiually so for the last six months of his life. He was a loving husband, a kind father, a good friend, a good citizen, a true Christian, and one who was always ready to speak consoling words to one in distress. Few men have ever lived to have more perfect confidence of a large number of his neighbors and acquaintances than the subject of this article...

Vol. 14, #Omitted, Thursday Morning, 30 Dec.1880:

Contained only classified (legal) notices.

Vol. 15, #1, Thursday Morning, 6 Jan.1881:

Mr. Henry L. Manne, of McVille, and Miss Mollie Waterman, daughter of Mr. Henry Waterman, of Hawkinsville, were married on Sunday, December 26, 1880, at the residence of the bride's father on Pine Level.

Mrs. Melvina Brown, wife of Mr. J. M. Brown, died of pneumonia on Friday morning, December 24, 1880, at the residence of her sister, Mrs. F. H. Bozeman, in Hawkinsville. The burial took place on Christmas day at Orange Hill Cemetery. (Compiler's Note: From bible of Littleberry Lucas, she was Malvina Isadore Lucas, b. 5 Aug.1833, d. 24 Dec.1880, daughter of Cincinnatus M. Lucas and Pamelia E. Smith. She married 17 Jan.1855, Mr. James M. Brown.)

Messrs. J. W. Marchman and Green C. Mathews, left Hawkinsville with their families on Saturday last for Council Bend, Lee County, Arkansas, where they propose to try the fertility of the soil of that part of the Western County.

Prof. George Sturtevant died suddenly on Friday morning, December 24, 1880, in his room in rear of his book store... It was supposed he was stricken with heart disease. The deceased had been a citizen of Hawkinsville for more than ten years, and for several years was a clerk in the drug store of J. A. Thompson, and was guiet and peaceable. He was strictly temperate - was unmarried, and was upward of fity years of age. The remains were interred in Orange Hill Cemetery of Christmas Day, Rev. A. M. Williams officiating.

The sable messenger of death was busy in our midst upon Christmas Eve morning, and among others called hence was Mr. John T. Bridges, a most estimable and worthy young man, who expired at the residence of Mr. D. G. McCormick after an illness of about two weeks of pneumonia. The deceased was a son of Mr. Daniel Bridges, one of the most highly esteemed citizens of Dooly County, and had been in business with Mr. McCormick at his warehouse...

Mr. J. F. Waters, formerly of Twiggs County, but now engaged in merchandising in Cochran, was married on Thursday afternoon, 30th ult., at the residence of Dr. W. B. Marshall to Miss Texanna G. Key, daughter of the late Col. P. H. Key, of Dooly County...

Vol. 15, #2, Thursday Morning, 13 Jan.1881:

Married, on Sunday last, by Rev. Geo. R. McCall, Mr. D. H. Kirk and Miss Sallie L. Davis, all of Hawkinsville.

Mr. Columbus W. Hand, of Sumter County, and father of Mrs. Dr. H. H. McKellar, of Hawkinsville, died on Sunday, January 2nd of congestion of the brain, after an illness of three weeks. The Sumter Republican, in speaking of his death, says: Mr. Hand had been for quite a number of years a citizen of Sumter County, and was well known as an honest, upright man. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity, of the Royal Arcanum and of the Legion of Honor. He was about fifty-eight years old, a most exemplary man, and his deportment that of a true christian. His family and numerous friends deeply deplore his death.

Dots From Dooly: A little son of Mr. J. J. Bullard, of Dooly County, while handling a pocket knife on the 31st ult., fell, the blade of the knife penetrating the skull and causing death in a few minutes; Mrs. Sarah K. Lewis, mother of Mr. Jasper F. Lewis, died on the 31st ult., aged 73 years; and John Lucius was shot and instantly killed by Jesse Woodard, three miles below Vienna, on Thursday, 30th ult.

Mr. C. A. Williams informs us of the death of Mr. J. H. Hawkins, which occurred at his home on Cedar Creek, in the lower portion of Dooly County, on the 19th day of December, 1880, aged about 25 years... He called his young wife and aged mother to his bed side and bid them an affectionate farewell, then bid his brother good-bye, and remembering his absent brother Edward, he also bid him farewell... John H. Hawkins was one of three brothers, who were raised by their widowed mother, and who have possesed the esteem and confidence of all who have ever known them.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Ferdinand Lovett, by Rev. O. D. Mulky, on the 6th inst., Mr. W. J. Mixon to Miss Lucinda Lovett, all of Wilcox County.

Died, on the 18th of December, 1881, little Fannie, daughter of Dave and Sallie Harrison, of Telfair County... P. & L.M.

Obituary: Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Blackshear, daughter of John Thomas and Mary B. Reeves, born December 24, 1857, and married April 15, 1879, died at her residence in Pulaski County, on November 23, 1880... E.H.B.

Obituary: Died, at the residence of Noah S. Dixon, near Mt. Calvary Church, in this county, of pneumonia, on the 28th of December, Mrs. Mary Walden, aged 80 years and two months. She was a consistent member of the Baptist Church for more than forty years... She leaves a large family and friends to mourn her departure... H., Cochran, January 10, 1881.

Obituary: Died, at his home in Telfair County, on the 16th day of December, 1880., Hon. John Wilcox, a member of the House of Representatives of the State of Georgia, of disease contracted in Atlanta, while at his post, attending to his public duties. He was born in Pulaski County on the 12th of January, 1814, but lived in Telfair for many years, honored and respected by all, and had been three times elected to the General Assembly by the votes of a confiding people. At the time of his death, he was a member of the Baptist Church, and had been for twenty-five years. He was an affectionate husband, a kind and devoted father and brother, a true friend, and an upright and hospitable citizen, and a faithful public servant... W.W.P.

Vol. 15, #3, Thursday Morning, 20 Jan.1881:

Mr. W. M. Snell left Pulaski this week for Orange County, Florida, where he has purchased an orange grove, and will engage in the cultivation of the tropical fruits. His grove is about twelve miles from Lake Jesup. Several old citizens of Hawkinsville are now living in Orange County, and though we regret to lose another, we hope Mat Snell may prosper and grow younger as the years are numbered, and that he may make us many visits.

Mr. Hiram J. Sapp, of Eastman, and Miss Mollie C. Humphreys were married on the 9th inst., at the residence of Mr. J. M. Daniel. All of Dodge County.

Married, at the residence of Miles Bembry, on Thursday evening, January 13, 1881, by Rev. M. N. McCall, Mr. J. F. Sparrow to Miss Josephine Batey. (Compiler's Note states Mr. Sparrow name was Joseph Franklin Sparrow and Miss. Batey should be Beaty.)

Died, in Irwin County, December 30, 1880, William Arthur, son of L. and Emma Story, aged 2 years and 9 months... A friend.

In Memory: Died, at the residence of his father, in Pulaski County, on Wednesday night, January 12th, 1881, James William Mears, in the twenty-first

year of his age. Billy was a favorite with all who knew him... He was confined to his bed with pneumonia about thirteen days... He was engaged to be married... The deceased was the only son of Daniel H. and Mary Mear . He was born in Lee County, Ga., on the 6th day of November, 1860 ... leaving sorrowing parents and a dear sister to mourn... G.P.W.

Vol. 15, #4, Thursday Morning, 27 Jan.1881:

Married, at the residence of Mr. Henry Waterman, on Pine Level, on Sunday, January 23d, by Rabbi Seenger, Mr. Morris Waterman, of Hawkinsville, to Miss Henrietta Maas, of Cochran.

Our community generally was surprised and saddened on Friday morning last to hear the announcement of the sudden death of Murdock D. Willcox, which occurred that morning it is supposed about the hour of four o'clock. His little son Tommie - aged nine or ten years - had been in a habit of sleeping with his father in a room down stairs. Just before four o'clock in the morning of the 21st inst., Tommie called his brother-in-law, Mr. John Coleman to come down to his father... Lewis, Mr. Willcox's son, was sick in his bed, and says that his father visited his room about one hour before his death was discovered... The general opinion is that death was caused from apoplexy or heart disease. Murdock D. Willcox had been a citizen of Hawkinsville for fifteen years, and was an active and prominent business man... He was born in Telfair County and was in the fifty-fourth year of his age. The remains were buried in Orange Hill Cemetery, in Hawkinsville, on Saturday afternoon, by the members of Mount Hope Lodge, No. 9, F. & A.M., and were escorted to the grave by Pulaski Fire Company No. 1, and a large procession of citizens.

Died, at McRae, Ga., on the 23d of December, 1880, Archie McLauchlin, youngest son of Alexander M. and Ellen McLauchlin, aged 8 years and 2 months.

Vol. 15, #5, Thursday Morning, 3 Feb.1881:

Mr. John M. Bridger, an industrious farmer, aged about fifty-four years, died suddenly of paralysis on Friday last at his home near Cochran, in this county.

Our young friend W. B. Rogers, of Reedy Springs, was married on the 20th ult., to Miss Mary B. Hudson, daughter of Mr. L. H. Hudson, of Laurens County, Rev. N. F. Gay officiating. The happy bridegroom is the elder son of Rev. John T. Rogers, and is a hightoned and popular young man...

The illness of Mr. James M. Hamilton, announced in last week's Dispatch terminated in death a few minutes past midnight on Friday night, January 28, 1881, at his plantation in Dooly County. Mr. Hamilton had been a resident of Hawkinsville for four or five years past, but claimed his citizenship in Dooly County, and continued to vote in that county. He moved his family to Hawkinsville in order to enjoy the excellent schools of the town. Mr. Hamilton was sick eight days with pneumonia... Mr. Hamilton was one of eight brothers, who were born and raised in Pulaski County in the vicinity of the

cite of the present town of Eastman... Of the eight brothers only two are now living - Hon. John J. Hamilton, of Dodge and Mr. Warren B. Hamilton, of Dooly. Of three sisters - Mrs. W. W. Harrell, of Dodge, is the only one now living - the three sisters having married three brothers. Mr. Hamilton's remains were buried on his plantation in Dooly County by the members of Fort Early Lodge F.& A.M. The deceased was king-hearted and benevolent, and was esteemed as a good and useful citizen.

We received a call on Thursday morning last from Rev. David Pope, who moved from Pulaski to Alabama twenty-four years ago, and who has not been here before within the last twenty years. The gentleman is a brother of Rev. Redding Pope, of this county. Mr. Pope has raised quite a large family since his removal to Alabama - having had eight children born to him. His home is in Crenshaw County.

Mrs. Annie Owens, wife of Mr. James Owens, of Wilcox County, died in Hawkinsville on Thursday evening, January 20, 1880 (miss-print) of dropsy, complicated with plurisy. Mrs. Owens had been affected about two months, and had been under treatment of Drs. E. H. and A. R. Taylor... The remains were taken back to her former home for interrment in the family cemetery.

Vol. 15, #6, Thursday Morning, 10 Feb.1881:

Mr. James M. Sapp, of Eastman was married on the 2d inst., to Miss Lula Peacock, of Irwinton, Ga., Rev. W. S. Baker officiating.

Mrs. Mary Fitzgerald, aged eighty-two years, died of pneumonia at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Eph. S. Mann, in Hawkinsville, on Monday, January 31, 1881. Her husband, James Fitzgerald, who died some years ago, was an old and well known citizen of Houston County, and was the father of Dr. Fitzgerald, of Macon, and Samuel Fitzgerald, of Albany; also of Mrs. J. W. Mann of Perry. The remains were taken to Macon and buried by the side of her husband's grave.

Mrs. Mary A. Robuck, born January 8, 1808, died near Hawkinsville on Tuesday, February 8, 1881, aged seventy-three years and one month. She was the mother of P. T. McGriff, Ordinary of this county, and leaves a large family and many friends to mourn her death.

Married, at the residence of Mr. A. A. Collins, in Pulaski County, on Sunday morning, 6th inst., by John T. Arde, Ex-officio J.P., Mr. Millard H. Kemp, of Dodge County, and Miss Julia Davidson, of Pulaski County.

Died, at Cochran, Ga., December 6, 1880, little Noonie Frank, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Ryle, aged eight years and three months... F.

On Friday morning, the 28th of last month, little Norah, aged about seven years, daughter of Mr. A. M. Kelley, in the Tenth District of Dooly County, was severely burned, and died the following day.

The Fort Valley Mirror of Friday last says: "On last night, William Straiton, who came here some months since from Hawkinsville, and has been most of the time working at Miller's Gin Manufactory, took 240 grains of chloral and was dead in a few minutes... He leaves a wife and one child.

Obituary: Died of pneumonia, at Drayton, Dooly County, Ga., January 23, 1881, Charles U. Young, in his twenty-first year. He was the only child of Mrs. Jane Young, who lost her husband during the war, when Charley was but a mere boy, and he was the grandson of Judge Samuel P. Bond, one of the first settlers of the villege of Drayton... He leaves his widowed mother and aged grandparents to mourn his loss... A friend.

Snow Spring. A correspondant of the Montezuma Weekly furnishes us with ... interesting details regarding the early settlement of Snow Spring and subsequent events. (Editor's Note: The article is too long to quote but we will restate some highlights in our words.) Mr. Elijah Pickering and others put up a small log house for church and school purposes, about 50 years ago, in the northern part of the second district of Dooly County, where a number of springs boiled up through beautiful white sand. The water is thought to contain medical properties. About 1832, Mr. Isaac Taylor, father of Mr. Woolen Taylor, of Houston County, gave eight acres of land to the church. The church was rebuilt, about 25 years ago, and since attended by itinerent and local preachers. Last year it was noted that over eighty white families, with some 150 school age children live within an area of six miles, so steps were taken to establish a high school there. Mr. Dan Ivey was contracted for the building and Prof. John H. Brantly, of Hawkinsville was procured as teacher to be assisted by Miss. Laura Bunn. The Rev. M. F. Morgan is having a boarding house built and Mr. James S. Barfield has opened a fine stock of goods.

From Perry Home Journal: Mrs. Mary Howell, an aged lady who resided in five miles of Byron, died on Sunday last. She was 80 years old and had been in feeble health many months previous to her death...; Mr. Horace Kezar, aged about 17 years, son of Dr. H. S. Kezar, near Henderson, died last Monday after a protracted illness; and Married, on January 3rd, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. L. J. Thomas, Miss Leila Thomas to Robert Marshall, all of Houston County, Rev. R. E. Story, officiating.

Vol. 15, #7, Thursday Morning, 17 Feb.1881:

Citizens from Dooly County inform us that Hon. J. R. Holmes, late Ordinary of that county, died at his home in Vienna on Monday evening last. He had been in bad health for several months. We have received no particulars.

Married, at the residence of Rev. J. W. Mashburn, father of the bride, by Rev. Elias Turner, Mr. Thomas B. Handley to Miss Martha Mashburn. All of Wilcox County.

Married, at the residence of the bride's mother, in Wilcox County, on the 3d inst., by Rev. O. D. Mulky, Mr. R. E. Pope, of Pulaski County, to Miss Mary C. Mixon.

Vol. 15, #8, Thursday Morning, 24 Feb.1881:

There was a large assemblage at the Baptist Church on Tuesday evening, 22d inst., at eight o'clock, to witness the marriage of Mr. W. F. Ferguson to Miss Mary E. Fale... The ceremony was performed by Rev. Geo. R. McCall. At nine o'clock a number of relatives and friends gathered at the residence of Mr. John Fale, (father of the bride) and partook of an elegant supper prepared for the occassion...

Mr. John E. Lilly, Clerk of the Superior Court of Dooly County, was married to-day (Wednesday) at eleven o'clock to Mrs. Fannie Dykes. The ceremony was performed by Hon. A. C. Pate at the residence of the bride, near Hawkinsville.

To-day (Wednesday, 23d inst.) at twelve o'clock, at the residence of Mr. William A. Ferguson, (father of the bride) Mr. Willie N. Mason, of Longstreet, this county, was married to Miss Annie Ferguson, Rev. Geo. R. McCall officiating.

In Memoriam: Little Bertha, daughter of H. C. and L. B. Melton, aged six months, died suddenly of congestion at their home in Vienna on Tuesday last, February 15th... Vienne.

Vol. 15, #9, Thursday Morning, 3 Mar.1881:

We received one day last week the following letter: Sumterville, Fla., Feb. 11, 1881. Editor, Hawkinsville Dispatch. Dear Sir: On the 7th of February, 1881, Samuel Taylor, thirty-six years of age, recently from Dooly County, Ga., died of pneumonia, after five days of sickness, in Sumter County, Fla. He leaves a wife and three children to mourn his early departure. (The writer of the above letter failed to sign any name, and we have published the letter just as written.)

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, in Crawford County, on the 6th of February, 1881, by Rev. Dr. Jones, Mr. N. A. Greer, of Houston County, to Miss Louiza Ray, daughter of Judge Wiley Ray, of Crawford.

Died, at her home in Pulaski County, on Sunday, February 20, 1881, Mrs. Alcy Martin, aged sixty-six years. The deceased was the widow of George Martin, who died in this county a few years ago. Mrs. Martin left four children - one son, Mr. James Martin of Dodge County and three daughters.

Married, at the residence of Mr. J. J. Pickren, Sunday morning, February 27, 1881, Mr. Frank B. Smith and Miss Martha A. Miller, J. J. Pickren officiating. All of Coffee County...

We clip the following items from the Houston Home Journal of Thursday last: Married at the residence of the bride's grandfather, G. G. Potter, at Houston Factory, last Sunday morning, the 20th inst., Miss Mary Lizzie Johnson to Mr. Joe Hines, both of Gainesville, Ga...

Mr. Robert Scattergood died at the residence of his brother, Mr. W. S. Scattergood, near Powersville, on Wednesday, the 16th inst, of typhoid pneumonia. He was buried at his brother's in the family burial ground. Rev. Mr. Thomas conducted the funeral services. He was about 40 years of age...

Tribute of Respect to M. D. Willcox by Pulaski Fire Company. (Compiler's Note: Murdock D. Willcox only name in article, no family data, article dated 28 Jan.1881.)

Vol. 15, #10, Thursday Morning, 10 Mar.1881:

Mr. T. H. Overby, of Cochran, was married on the 23d ult., to Miss Jennie Duncan, daughter of Hon. John T. Duncan, Ordinary of Laurens County. Rev. W. S. Ramsay, officiating.

A few special friends assembled at the residence of the bride's mother, in Hawkinsville, on Thursday evening, 3d inst., to witness the marriage of Dr. James A. Hart to Miss Carrie Anderson. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. R. Elder, of the M. E. Church... Dr. Hart has been a citizen of Hawkinsville for several years, and is well known to the people of the surrounding counties.

In Memoriam: Died, at the residence of Mr. Joseph Dykes, near Cochran, Mr. William Killen, son of Mrs. B. B. Dykes, in the 19th year of his age.

Vol. 15, #11, Thursday Morning, 17 Mar.1881:

Mr. Thomas E. Moore, the postmaster of Fort Valley, died of pneumonia in that place a few days ago. Mr. Moore had a small job printing office in Hawkinsville in the fall of 1876, and resided here for a short time.

Mrs. M. A. McVay, well known to many of our readers as a most estimable Christian lady, died in this city, on Friday last after a lingering illness. She leaves one child, John T. McVay, pressman at Bridges Smith's printing office, who is the last surviving member of the family. Her remains were interred in Rose Hill Cemetery yesterday - Macon Telegraph and Messenger, 13th. Mrs. McVay, it will be remembered, was formerly a resident of Hawkinsville, and her husband was for a number of years, and up to the time of his death, bridge-keeper for the M. PB. Railroad at this place.

Married, in Hawkinsville, Ga., on Sunday, 13th inst., Mr. Samuel E. Taylor and Miss Alice V. Johnson. Rev. E. A. Burch officiating.

Dots From Telfair: Lumber City, Ga., March 14 - John Cauldor, a citizen of McVille, died suddenly of heart disease at his home on Sunday evening last. T.J.S.

Vol. 15, #12, Thursday Morning, 24 Mar.1881:

Mr. W. R. C. Anderson, of Montgomery County, and Miss Sallie Brewer, of

Telfair, were married at the residence of the father of the bride on the 15th inst.

Miss Amanda Dewitt died at the residence of her brother-in-law, Mr. W. H. Spurlin, on Pine Level, on Thursday last, of comsumption. She was a daughter of the late Thomas Dewitt, of this county. The remains were interred in Orange Hill Cemetery on Friday last.

Mr. Joseph N. Seymour, an aged citizen of Macon, and well known throughout Southern Georgia, died at his home in Macon on the 16th inst. The Telegraph and Messenger states that his death occurred after a five months' illness, during which he was confined to his room. Mr. Seymour was engaged in cotton buying in Hawkinsville two or three years ago.

Married, at the residence of the bride's mother, on the 17th inst., by Mr. David Cason, Mr. John W. Newell to Miss Naomi M. Conner. All of Wilcox County.

Dr. A. C. Simmons, of Dooly County was drowned at Wallace's Mills, near Drayton, on Friday morning last, March 18th... Dr. Simmons was a brother of Hon. Thos. J. Simmons, Judge of the Macon Circuit. He had been practicing his profession in the vicinity of Drayton for the last few years, and was highly esteemed as a physician and citizen. He leaves a widow and nine children...

We clip the following item from the Milledgeville Union and Recorder: Mrs. Nancy Williams died at the Lunatic Asylum the 9th of March 1881, aged about 90 years. She was sent to the Asylum from Pulaski County in 1844, when Dr. Cooper was the Superintendent, and remained in the Asylum up to her death, 37 years...

Vol. 15, #13, Thursday Morning, 31 Mar.1881:

Living in the Second District of Dooly County, within a circuit of three miles are four couples whose ages aggregate five hundred and eighty-eight years. Their names and ages have been given to us as follows: William King 76, and wife 74; J. W. Cross 72, and wife 70; Wright L. Ivey 76, and wife 78; and Stephen T. Burgess 72, and wife 70, making 588 years... Mr. Isham Collum, of the same county, is eighty-four years old, and has been married three time... His present wife is seventy-six years old, and is the mother of twelve children.

Storm in Wilcox: Abbeville, Ga., March 30, 1881. Cato Graham, a worthy and industrious lad of about fifteen years, and the main support of a widowed mother, was killed by a falling tree about one hundred and fifty yards from his dwelling. Cate was a good boy, and lived by his mother, and esteemed by his neighbors. He had a brother killed in battle during the war, and another slain in a difficulty with McCall in Abbeville since the war.

Married, at the residence of Mr. Thomas Stokes, in Pulaski County, by Rev. Bryan Bacon, Mr. W. J. Harrel, of Dodge County, to Miss E. J. Hall.

Married, at the residence of the bride's mother, on the evening of the 24th inst., Mr. Madison Whitten, of Liberty County, and Miss Mollie R. Gertman, of Coffee County. Rev. J. M. Wilcox officiating... Miratio.

Vol. 15, #14, Thursday Morning, 7 Apr.1881:

Mr. W. H. Harris, of Texas, is visiting his sister, Mrs. A. A. Lowe, of Hawkinsville...

From the Macon Telegraph and Messenger: Marianna, Fla., March 28. - Last night about 1 o'clock, the Rev. R. J. Corley, an eminent minister of the Georgia Conference, died at this place. He had been suffering of consumption for many months. He was thirty-eight years of age, born in this place, a brave soldier, and in the pulpit he had few equals. He leaves a wife and two children. Rev. Mr. Corey was the pastor of the Methodist Church in Hawkinsville 1873 and 1874, and during his sojourn in our midst he won the hearts and good opinion of everone who had the good fortune to make his acquaintance.

Letter: Council Bend, Lee Co., Ark., March 16, 1881. Editor, Hawkinsville Dispatch... The Georgia boys who left Pulaski and Houston Counties in January are all in good health and fine spirits. There are nine white Georgians in the bottom - T. B. Bolton, Grif Powell and Z. Baggett, from Houston, and J. W. Marchman, G. C. Mathews, Henry Sapp, John Metts, J. B. Marchman and the writer, from Pulaski... Respectfully, A. W. Newman.

Vol. 15, #15, Thursday Morning, 14 Apr.1881:

News has reached Hawkinsville that Columbus Franks is dead. He was a good soldier as ever "toted" a musket. During the late war he was a member of Company K, in the 49th Gerogia regiment, commanded by Col. S. M. Manning, who died from a wound received in the battle at Cedar Run. Columbus Franks has left a remarkable record as a soldier...

Mrs. Waite, wife of Rev. F. C. Waite, died on Tuesday night, after an illness of only three or four days.

Vol. 15, #16, Thursday Morning, 21 Apr.1881:

Married, in Hawkinsville, on Tuesday evening, at the residence of Judge C. M. Bozeman, father of the bride, Mr. Charles Rhodin and Mrs. Mollie E. Jelks. Rev. H. R. Felder officiating... (Compiler's Note: Wife of late Needam W. Jelks.)

Married, at Hayneville, Houston County, on the evening of the 13th inst., Mr. L. H. Foster, of Madison, and Miss Pauline Pinckard, the adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Rutherford. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Geo. R. McCall, of Hawkinsville.

Mrs. Cochran, wife of Frank Cochran, and daughter of Mr. J. E. Oberry, died in Cochran on Monday last. (Compiler's Note: She was Rosa L. Oberry, b. 27 Jan.1861, d. 18 Apr.1881.)

Dubois, Dodge County, Ga., April 17, 1881. We had quite a romatic wedding in our settlement on the 12th inst., the contracting parties being Mr. Gus Warren, aged 15, and Mrs. Martha Hair, aged 55, both from Pulaski County. Next! S.

Turkey Creek, Ga., April 13, 1881. The infant and only child of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Adams, of this county (Dooly), died on the 12th inst., aged about eight months. It was only ill a few days with pneumonia. Grandchild of Judge Sumner Adams.

Eastman, Ga., April 18, 1881. Mr. Asa Harrell, a well known and respected citizen of this place, was found dead in bed this morning, at his residence on fifth avenue. Mr. H. died near the place of his nativity. He was about 55 years old...

In Memoriam: Miss Roberta Taylor died November 19, 1880, at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Charley Coney, near Hawkinsville, Pulaski County, Ga. It seems but a few short months since we chronicled the death of the devoted mother, who so long and so tenderly watched over the delicate treasure placed within her keeping... W.P.A.

Vol. 15, #17, Thursday Morning, 28 Apr.1881:

Mr. W. W. McLendon, a well known warehouseman of Montezuma, committed suicide in that place on Sunday morning last. The following dispatch from Montezuma to Telegraph and Messenger gives the particulars: Mr. W. W. McLendon, of our town, ended his life yesterday morning while in a state of mental aberration, his mind having been wrong for several months. He and his wife spend Saturday night with his son-in-law. Sunday morning he slipped a pistol, went to a private room, lay down on the bed, placed the muzzle of the pistol against his temple and sent a ball through his brain... Mr. McLendon was one of the first settler of our town... The deceased was 68 years of age...

Died, of pneumonia, in Cochran, Ga., on the evening of the 18th inst., little Morgan Edge, infant and only child of Mr. T. G. and Mrs. E. H. Porter, aged four months.

Died, at the residence of Mrs. Fair, in Houston County, on Thursday, 21st inst., after four days illness of pneumonia, little Willie Chancey, aged eleven months and ten days, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Beverly, of Hawkinsville...

Turkey Creek, Ga., April 21. Mr. Daniel W. Smith, a well known citizen of this county (Dooly), died at his home near Bay Point, leaving a wife and several children to mourn his death.

Deaths in Wilkinson County: Stephenville, Ga., April 25, 1881. Mr. Robert T. D. Fordham died at his home near here on the night of the 18th inst. He was in the seventy-fifth year of his age, and leaves many friends who sympathize with the beraved family; Mrs. Elcy Payne, died on the 21st. She had been

afflected for a number of years, and was quite old; Mrs. Diona Dorminey died on the evening of the 23rd inst.

Eastman Dots. Eastman, Ga., April 26, 1881. Col. Thos. H. Dawson died this morning at 4 o'clock. This old citizen and well known lawyer deserves a more extended notice than the mere announcement of his sudden death, but present surroundings prevent any enlargement of the untimely event. Peace to his ashes.

Vienna, Ga., April 25, 1881: In a difficulty between John Story and Skelt Napier, in this county, Story was killed. No particulars.

Vol. 15, #18, Thursday Morning, 5 May 1881:

Mr. John V. Mitchell died of consumption in Orange County, Florida on the 10th day of December 1880. Johnnie will be remembered by many of the citizens of Hawkinsville and all will regret to hear of his death. We never heard of his death until this week, though we were aware of his low state of health. He was a son of Dr. Batts N. Mitchell, who moved from Hawkinsville to Florida about ten years ago.

Married, at the residence of the bride's uncle, Mr. Adolph Jerger, on Wednesday evening, 27th ult., by Rev. Geo. R. McCall, Mr. James P. Williamson and Miss Emmie Miller. All of Hawkinsville...

Miss Jimmie Ann Sangster, daughter of Mr. Wash Sangster, living about six miles east of Vienna, Dooly County, was burned to death on Thursday of last week. She was in the field assisting her father and brother in their farm work, when her clothing caught fire... The accident occurred about one o'clock p.m., and, after about five hours of the most agonizing pain, she expired.

The Montezuma Weekly has the following in regards to the killing of Mr. John Story, of Dooly County... (Compiler's Note: No family data was given.)

Married. On Thursday evening, 28th ult., at the residence of the bride's step-father, Mr. Edwin Green, near Perry, Mr. M. F. McCarty was married to Miss Susie Gaddy. Rev. B. F. Tharpe officiating. All of Houston County. (Editor's Note: Susan J. Gaddy, b. 1866, was daughter of Enoch W. Gaddy and Mary Rebecca Jones. Her husband M. Filmore McCarty, b. 1855 Jones County, d. 5 Aug.1882 Houston County. Their only child a daughter died 24 May 1883 in Crawford County at home of Little McCarty, the husband's brother, but interred Evergreen Cemetery, Perry, with father. Susan in 1887 was living at Chauncy, Dodge County, Ga.)

Deaths at Cochran: Dr. Willie H. Mitchell died at Cochran on Sunday last, May 1st, 1881, after a lingering illness of typhoid fever. He was a son of the late Isaac W. Mitchell, of Pulaski County, and for several years past had been a practicing physician at Eastman and Cochran; The infant son of Judge J. T. Davis, of Cochran, died in that place on Sunday evening last of congestion of the brain and bowels.

Mr. Joe Love, aged about twenty-five years, died near Mt. Calvary Church, in Pulaski County, on Sunday, May 1, 1881, of typhoid fever.

Death of Col. Thomas H. Dawson. The article states: "Died at his residence in Eastman last Monday morning about 2 o'clock. Seven years ago last November he was married to Miss Jane Harrell, a good christian woman, who made him a true faithful and loving wife... (Compiler's Note: His death first reported in previous issue 17 says death at 4 o'clock, no further family data given.)

Vol. 15, #19, Thursday Morning, 12 May 1881:

Early on Tuesday afternoon of last week, Mr. Daniel L. Wood, son of Mr. Bryant A. Wood, of Dooly County, left home for the purpose of hunting and fishing in Gum Creek, near his residence. Not returning home late in the evening, the family became uneasy, and as he had not returned Wednesday morning, the neighbors were aroused and a search made for him, which soon resulted in the discovery of his body in the swamp dead... Deceased was about twenty years old, and leaves a young wife.

We met in Hawkinsville, on Monday last, Mr. John Oberry, an old Virginia gentleman, who has been on a visit to his sons and daughters in this section. Mr. Oberry is the father of Mr. James E. Oberry, of Cochran, and the father of Mrs. Peter Peacock, of Cochran, and Mrs. Thos. H. Norfleet, of McVille. It wil thus be seen that he is well represented in Georgia, being also the grandfather of seventeen children here. This old Virginian is eighty years of age...

Vol. 15, #20, Thursday Morning, 19 May 1881:

Towns, Ga., May 17, 1881. We had quite a romatic marriage in our little town yesterday, the contracting parties being Dr. Hudson and Miss Belle Hendricks, of Cochran, Ga. It seems that the Doctor had won this beautiful young lady's heart, and they were making all necessary arrangements to be made one, but the young lady's mother, having a slight objection, persuaded her daughter to visit her brother, C. R. Hendricks, of this place, and thought by this means to break up the marriage. But the Doctor, not wishing to lose the idol of his heart, as soon as he found out how the matter was arranged, boarded the cars for this place. He arrived at 2 p.m., and in a few minutes there came in town a Justice of the Peace, who in a very few appropriate words, made two hearts beat as one, just in time to board the north-bound train. We wish them a happy long life, and may the mother never have cause to regret her daughter's choice.

Vol. 15, #21, Thursday Morning, 26 May 1881:

Mr. John F. Kennedy, an aged citizen of Dooly County, died on the 12 inst., of pneumonia.

Mr. A. B. Spencer died in the Third District of Dooly County on Friday last. The remains were buried at Harmony Church, in that county, on Saturday last.

The deceased was a graduate of Mercer University, having graduated while the university was at Penfield, Green County, where his father now resides. Mr. Spencer was an upright and esteemed citizen, and has held the office of Justice of Peace in his district for the past ten or twelve years. He was a son-in-law of Judge W. B. Cone, of Dooly, and leaves a widow and several children.

An old and prominent citizen - one of the "landmarks" of Hawkinsville has passed away. Cornelius Murphy Bozeman expired at his residence in this place on Monday night last, May 23, 1881, at a quarter to nine o'clock, aged sixty-two years. The deceased was born at Milledgeville, Ga., and at the age of ten years moved with his parents to Pulaski County, in which he has resided ever since. Judge Bozeman was a citizen of prominence and influence - possessed of strong will and determination, firm in his convictions of right and justice, true to his friends, and courageous under all circumstances. In Politics he was active and unswerving. Before the war Judge Bozeman represented this county in the House of Representatives and in the State Senate, and held other offices of honor. Having been a citizen of Pulaski since the earliest days of the county, and knowing Hawkinsville from infancy, he was never at a loss to furnish us for publication with a correct version of any incident or event in the history of the town and county. Judge Bozeman was a man of usefulness, and the vacancy created by his death will be long unfilled. He was a member of Mt. Hope Lodge F.& A.M. and of Anderson Lodge I.O.O.F., of Hawkinsville. Was also a member of the American Legion of Honor and belonged to St. Omer Commandery of the Knight's Templar of Macon. A delegation of the Sir Knights of that city came down this (Wednesday) morning to join in the obsequies, which were performed at the grave in Orange Hill Cemetery at eleven o'clock, and at this hour nearly all the stores are closed and business generally suspended. (Compiler's Note: He was a grandson of John Bozeman, b. 27 Apr.1793, d. 10 Nov.1848, Hamilton County, Florida.)

Vol. 15, #22, Thursday Morning, 2 Jun.1881:

The store of Mr. J. W. Bowyer was closed last Monday in consequence of the death of his mother at Knoxville, Tennessee, that morning. Mr. Bowyer left on the evening train to attend the funeral.

At an early hour on Saturday morning last, Mr. Joseph Miller departed this life, aged about fifty-one years. He was born at Pittsburg, Pennsylvania and came to Hawkinsville about the year 1858, and was employed as a carriage trimmer in the shops of Mr. A. L. Tippett. He served throughout the late was in Capt. Warren Wood's Company, 31st Georgia regiment... The remains were buried in Orange Hill Cemetery on Sunday morning last with Masonic honors by the members of Mount Hope Lodge.

The citizens of Hawkinsville were gladdened on Saturday morning last at the announcement that Mr. Simon Merritt had returned home from California. In March 1868, over thirteen year ago, Mr. Merritt left Hawkinsville for the West, expecting to rebuild his fortunes in that country of fabulous riches and growing wealth. Though nearly sixty years of age, he left Hawkinsville with

a buoyant heart and full of hope... The old gentleman is yet full of vigor and for a seventy year old, is indeed sprightly... We welcome him back to his old home and among his old friends.

Reminiscence of Cochran. Cochran, like all places of enterprise and business importance, has an early history, and some of its oldest citizens remember the spot when it was an unbroken forest. Mr. A. H. Landfair, one of the "oldest inhabitants," told us last week that, in about 1850, John Dominey and Joe McLeod swapped horses - both horses being blind - and Dominey gave the lot of land on which Cochran is now principally built as "boot" in the swap. The lot was number 158, and embraced two hundred two and a half acres. The land finally became the property of Mr. B. B. Dykes, and the town took the name of Dykesboro. Mr. Landfair owned the adjoining lot No. 159, and yet owns most of the lot. In those days blind horses were worth ten dollars, for the bard was accustomed to sing - "I went to the river and couldn't get across, and gave ten dollars for an old blind horse." But Cochran is a flourishing town - an embryo city - receiving and shipping ten thousand bales of cotton annually, and the place is building up as fast as many towns between Macon and Savannah.

Vol. 15, #23, Thursday Morning, 9 Jun.1881:

From the Dublin Post: The chapter of Laurens County tragedies is getting to be a long one. On last Sunday, Clarence Cross and Willie Dominy, two little boys about ten years of age, were wrestling, near Mr. Marshall Scarborough's place four or five miles west of Dublin, when there resulted a very singular tragedy - which was no less than the death of Clarence... The Coroner's jury after a careful investigation returned a verdict of death in a friendly wrestle. The Corner took Dr. Hightower with him who, after a careful an examination as the circumstances would admit, thought he was killed by concussion over the heart, acused by a fall on his own arm, which the testemony showed was doubled against his heart when he fell.

From the Eastman Times. Ludie, about six years of age, little daughter of Mr. J. D. Harrell, of this county, died on Monday morning last, after an illness of nearly two weeks. Ludie was a bright lovely child - the pet of a fond father and doting relatives. Her mother having died when she was a mere babe, the cords of tender love and affection were only the more strongly and closely entwined around the heart of those who were near to her by the ties of nature, as well as the friends of the lamented mother.

Vol. 15, #24, Thursday Morning, 16 May 1881:

Mrs. McCall, wife of Rev. Moses N. McCall, of Cochran, died on Friday afternoon last, and the remains were taken to Savannah and interred in the cemetery in that city on Sunday last.

Married, by Rev. Thos. J. Adams, at the residence of the bride's father, on Sunday morning, 12th inst., Mr. Robert McRonie, of Dodge County, to Miss Mary J. Wood, of Pulaski.

Death of Mr. James Burkhalter - Accident at the Funeral - Horses Frightened - Vehicles Upset - Etc: Mr. James Burkhalter, an old and respected citizen of this county, died on Thursday evening last. On Friday evening the funeral was largely attended by relatives and friends, and the burial took place at the old Major Henderson grave yard...

Vol. 15, #25, Thursday Morning, 23 Jun.1881:

Mrs. Christian, wife of Mr. John R. Christian, died in Forsyth, Ga., on Saturday last, after but a short illness. She was buried at Sparta, their former home. Mrs. Christian was a consistent member of the Methodist Church, was about 29 years old, has been married seven years, and leaves three children, the youngest only five days old when she died. She was Mr. Christian's second wife, both being sisters of our fellow townsman, Mr. John W. Evans. His first wife had three children, all of whom are dead. He has indeed been unfortunate, and has our heartfelt sympathy.

The Henry County Weekly announces the death of Dr. Jonah Bivins, which occurred at his home in Hampton, Ga., on Tuesday, the 14th inst. Dr. Bivins, several years prior to his death, resided in Dooly County, and returned to his native county (Henry) in April last...

Vol. 15, #26, Thursday Morning, 30 Jun.1881:

From Fort Valley Mirror. On last Tuesday evening a sad accident occurred, by which our friend, Geo. Plant, lost his only son, Claude, by death at his mill pond in Houston County...

A terrific wind storm passed over Cochran on Monday afternoon last. The frame work of the new "Daisy House," which was being erected by Mr. J. A. Thomas, was blown down while the carpenters were at work. Mr. Thomas Boothe was so severely injured that he died Tuesday morning from the effects of his injuries...

A correspondent, writing from Stephensville, Wilkinson County, says: Mrs. Kettles, an aged lady, died on the 21st inst., at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Braz. Wynne, near Stephensville...

Vol. 15, #27, Thursday Morning, 7 Jul.1881:

No paper this date because of July 4th.

Vol. 15, #28, Thursday Morning, 14 Jul.1881:

Mrs. Sarah West, aged about sixty-five years, died at the residence of her son-in-law (Mr. John Fale) in Hawkinsville, on Sunday, July 3d. The remains were interred in the cemetery in this place on the morning following her death. She had been in feeble health for many years. (Compiler's Note: She was Sarah M. Shepard, b. 1815, and married 1h. Charles West.)

Mr. Harvey W. Lathrop died in Baltimore on the 6th inst. He did business in Hawkinsville many years ago, and about the year 1851 moved from this place to Savannah. His brother, Mr. Charles T. Lathrop, and niece, Mrs. B. F. Parsons, left here a few days ago to visit him.

Dr. James A. Hart, with his wife and her mother and sister, left Hawkinsville on Monday last for Orange County, Florida, where they go to reside.

Mr. Witt Kinchen and Miss Maggie F. Jones were married at the residence of the bride's mother, in this place, on Tuesday evening, 12th inst. The ceremony was performed by Hon. A. C. Pate, and was witnessed by relative and friends of the families. We wish them all the pleasurer of a contented life.

Mrs. Charlotte McDuffie, widow of the late Norman McDuffie and mother of Mr. James B. McDuffie, died at the residence of her son in Hawkinsville, on the 7th inst., aged fifty-nine years. She returned from Texas to Hawkinsville about a year ago. The remains were buried in the cemetery in this place on the afternoon of the 8th inst., the funeral cermonies being performed by Rev. Geo. R. McCall.

Mrs. McNeill, mother of Mr. W. J. McNeill, of Hawkinsville, died on Friday night, July 8th 1881, after a lingering illness. The burial took place in the cemetery in this place on Saturday afternoon. Rev. Geo. R. McCall conducting the funeral ceremonies.

Obituary: Mrs. Malinda Fleming was born in Jefferson County, Ga., on the 14th of July, 1799, and died near Hawkinsville on Thursday, July 7th 1881, lacking just one week being eighty-two years old. Her maiden name was Chance, and at the age of fifteen years she was married to Taney Jones, with whom she moved to the neighborhood of Henderson, Houston County, about the year 1839, where he died a few years later. In 1845 she was married to John Fleming, of Pulaski County, with whom she lived happly until 1852, when death again widowed her. She has since, until her death, found a pleasant home in the family of her step-son, Mr. James Fleming, at whose residence she peacefully and calmly passed away. When quite young she united hereself with the Methodist Church, in which she remained until about forty years old, when she joined the Baptist Church, of which she was a consistent member at the time of her death... She had no children of her own, her only child having died in infancy, but her devotion and kindness to her second husband's children has endeared her to them, and they were as devoted to her as natural children... One who loved her.

Vol. 15, #29, Thursday Morning, 21 Jul.1881:

Mrs. Anna Bartlett, a widow lady aged about fifty years, died at her home in this place on last Friday morning.

The following particulars are obtained from a letter received in Cochran on Friday last. Key West, Fla., June 28, 1881 - Mr. David W. Darsey, claiming to hail from Dodge County, Ga., was shot and instantly killed here today by A. B. Clarke over a game of cards. Clarke made his escape. It is stated that Darsey

left Dodge County in 1879, abandoning his wife and two children.

A friend informs us of the death of Mr. William Hall, of Dooly County, which occurred at his home two miles south of Vienna on the 13th inst. Mr. Hall was about seventy-one years of age. He was born in Putnam Coutny, and when quite young moved to Houston County, and from Houston to Dooly in 1835, where he had lived until the day of his death. He was a peaceable and good citizen, and had a large family connection.

Laurens County News From Dublin Gazette. Mrs. Polly Weaver, a lady aged eighty died at her son-in-laws, Mr. A. J. Hobbs last Wednesday morning; Last Saturday morning death took from its parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Smith, an infant son, on Monday, again the fell destroyer visited the already weeping household and took from their embrace two more, respectively seven and nine years old. They were taken suddenly with a kind of malarial fever and survived not more that forty-eight hours after they were taken...

Vol. 15, #30, Thursday Morning, 28 Jul.1881:

A correspondent of the Telegraph and Messenger, writing from Gordon, Ga., under date of July 22nd says: Mr. Thomas Jones, of Twiggs County, has three daughter lying still and cold in death under the same roof, two died Wednesday within an hour of each other, and the other yesterday (Thursday) with measles, aged about 16, 18 and 20 years. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of a host of friend.

Mr. John Nick DeLamar left this county for Texas in the fall of 1868, and a few days ago returned on his first visit to his relatives and friends. Nine years ago he settled in Hill County, Texas, and at that time there were only three or four families living with a distance of five miles...

Obituary: Elnorah Brown, wife of W. T. Brown, and daughter of William D. and Lucinda Conner, was born February 2, 1859, and died of pneumonia June 30, 1881. In July 1874, she was converted and joined the Church under the preaching of Rev. R. J. Corley... She was an obedient child, a kind and loving sister, affectionate wife and tender mother... Her sister Elmira.

McRae Dots. McRae, Ga., July 25, 1881. Little Clide, infant daughter of Mr. J. Q. Stephens, died last week at the residence of Dr. Stephens in Jefferson County, where she had been living since the death of her mother...

Vol. 15, #31, Thursday Morning, 4 Aug.1881:

Dr. Simeon W. Taylor, from Orange County, Florida, arrived in Hawkinsville Tuesday on a visit to his father, Sheriff D. W. Taylor and family. The Doctor is accompanied by his family. This is his first visit to Georgia within about seven years...

Died, on the 16th ult., of typhoid fever, Mrs. Mary Johnson, of Wilcox County, Ga.

Married, at the residence of the bride's uncle (Dr. E. H. Taylor) in Hawkinsville, on Wednesday evening, 27th ult., by Rev. Geo. R. McCall, Mr. Herschell F. Bembry to Miss Cora Taylor. All of Pulaski.

Vol. 15, #32, Thursday Morning, 11 Aug.1881:

Mrs. Margaret Miller, wife of Joseph Miller, Sr., was born in Robinson County, N.C., January 15, 1808, and died at her home in Montgomery County, Ga., July 21st 1881. She was a member of the M. E. Church South...

Mrs. Hamilton, wife of Mr. Warren B. Hamilton, died at her home on Gum Creek, Dooly County, on Sunday last.

Mr. George D. Walker, from Ridge Springs, South Carolina, is visiting his relatives and friends in Pulaski and Wilcox. He is a brother of Dr. Thos. D. Walker, Mayor of Cochran, and Messrs. D. C. and James L. Walker.

Obituary: Mrs. Rachael Bray, wife of Mr. L. B. Bray, was born April 22, 1835, and died July 15, 1881. The subject of this notice has been sorely afflicted for about two years of an uncurable disease... She connected hereself with the Baptist Church at Drayton in the year 1860, and lived up to the requirements of the church until her death... She leaves of her immediate family her husband and seven children, the latter all grown but two...

Obituary: On the morning of August 1, 1881, the Angel of Death came and removed from his earthly abode to his heavenly dwelling palce, little Sammie Rycroft, (aged about 11 months,) son of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Rycroft... G.A.C.

Vol. 15, #33, Thursday Morning, 18 Aug.1881:

The Fort Valley Mirror announces the death of Mrs. Patience McGriff, at the residence of Rev. A. King, near Powersville, Houston County, on the 7th inst. She was nearly eighty years of age, and was the mother of twenty children, all now living. She was also a consestent member of the Primitive Baptist Church, and was conscious in her last house, giving all directions as to the preparation for her burial.

Deaths in Dooly: Mr. Nathan Youngblood, an aged and respected citizen, died at his home in the Third District of Dooly County on the 10th inst., in his seventy-six year. He had lived in Dooly about forty-five years, having moved from Hancock County about 1836; Mrs. Broxton, wife of Mr. Jerry Broxton, was buried at Harmony Church on Monday last; Mr. David W. Harvard lost his infant child by death on the night of the 10th inst; Mrs. A. B. Spencer lost a little boy about a year old on the 13th; and Mr. S. Y. Floyd's wife and child died and were buried in the same coffin on Monday last.

From the Americus Recorder: Our readers will remember the brief notice, in last week's issue, announcing the death of Mrs. Warren B. Hamilton, of Gum Creek, news of which had just been received. It has since transpired that her death occurred under circumstances of quite a sad and distressing nature,

having been brought about by the administration by mistake, of morphine for quinine...

Vol. 15, #34, Thursday Morning, 25 Aug.1881:

Laurens County News From the Dublin Gazette: But a few weeks ago the mother-in-law of Mr. Henry A. Joice died; scarcely had the sod that covered her became dry, ere the daughter and wife was lowered to the tomb...

There were many sad hearts in town yesterday morning when the telegram was received announcing the death of Miss Kittie Westbrook, the accomplished music teacher of the Hawkinsville Institute. She was on a visit to Atlanta during the vacation of the Institute, and stricken with typhoid fever while in that city.

On Sunday morning last, Tess De Graffenried, while handling a pistol, accidentally shot himself. The accident occurred on the old Major McCormick place, about seven miles form Hawkinsville... He lingered until Monday afternoon, about seven o'clock when he expired... Young De Graffenried came here last January from Mitchell County... He was a son of Mr. C. T. De Graffenried, of Mitchell County, and was about seventeen years of age... On Tuesday Mr. Brown received a dispatch asking that the remains be forwarded by rail to Camilla, but the burial had taken place ere the receipt of the dispatch.

Mr. Thomas C. Elliott, a carpenter, died very suddenly at the residence of Mr. A. M. Hansford, in this place, on Monday morning last. Mr. Elliott came here from Albany, Ga., about two weeks ago, and had found employment with Mr. D. H. Kirk. Before leaving Albany, Mr. Elliot had been prostrated with typhoid pneumonia and soon after coming to Hawkinsville he was attacked with measles. He was recovering from this illness, and his wife and child from Albany were expected to join him her on Tuesday... Dr. Jordan gave it his opinion that death resulted from nervous prostration or some form of heart disease. The remains were buried in Orange Hill Cemetery, in this place, on Tuesday morning at eleven o'clock. Rev. H. R. Felder, who knew the deceased in Albany, conducted the funeral ceremonies at the grave.

Our household, as well as the whole town, were startled this morning by the following telegram to my daughter Mary, from A. L. Nelms of Griffin, Ga.: "Miss Kittie Westbrook died this morning in Atlanta."... J. O. Jelks, Hawkinsville, Ga., Aug.23,1881.

Memoriam: Died at his residence in Dooly County, Ga., on the 20th day of May 1881, Alva B. Spencer, aged forty years. Mr. Spencer came from the county of Green to this county at the age of 21 years, engaging in teaching school at Harmony Church in 1861, but the late war breaking out, he entered and served during the war, at the close of which he returned home, and married the eldest daughter of Judge W. B. Cone, where he resided until his death. He embraced the Baptist faith at Penfield Church in 1858... In his death his companion has lost a loving husband, his children a devoted parent... R.R., Eureka, Ga.,

Aug.8,1881.

Memoriam: In the Providence of God, sister Broxton, the consort of Mr. Jerry Broxton, passed away on the 14th of August, 1881, in the sixty fourth year of her age. For months she suffered more than tongue can tell with a cancerous tumor in and on her right cheek, with christian fortitude, never complaining. She was a member of the Baptist Church at Harmony, Dooly County, Ga... Pastor.

From the Dublin Gazette, August 20th: Last Wednesday in Twiggs County, the skelton of an orphan boy, Charlie Arnold, was found in the woods, and from the facts that surrounded the affair, certainly one of the blackest and most atroeious crimes had been added to the annals of that county. Young Arnold, when quite small, was bound to Joseph Jones, Esq., a prominent lawyer of Jeffersonville...

Vol. 15, #35, Thursday Morning, 1 Sep.1881:

Mrs. Carrie Rozar, wife of Mr. R. Rozar, died in Cochran on Sunday last. The remains were brought to Hawkinsville and buried in Orange Hill Cemetery on Monday at eleven o'clock.

Mrs. Jordan, wife of Mr. G. W. Jordan, Jr., of this place, died today (Wednesday) at eleven o'clock.

Mr. John H. Kendrick died very suddenly at his residence in Hawkinsville on Friday morning last about three o'clock. A year or two ago Mr. Kendrick had an attack of paralysis, but apparently had fully recovered, an on Thursday evening he was heard to remark that he felt "like a young man," and he appeared unusually cheerful and lively, and was busy all day weighing cotton at the warehouse of McCormick, Clegg & Co. Soon after going to his residence he was stricken with paralysis, and remained speechless to the time of death... Mr. Kendrick was born at Clopton's Mills, in Putnam County, in this state, and was about fifty-two years of age. He moved to Houston County about 1845, and removed to this county in 1870... The deceased was a peace-loving citizen, a kind husband and father, and a consistent member of the Baptist Church, of this place. He joined Old County Line Church in Houston County. On Saturday morning last, at nine o'clock, his remains were buried in Orange Hill Cemetery by the members of Mount Hope Lodge, F.& A.M., to which he belong - A good man has gone to rest.

From the Cochran Enterprise: We are reliably informed that Mr. N. S. Dixon has sold his plantation near Mt. Calvary Church, Pulaski County to Mr. Jno. L. Whitehurst, and that Mr. Dixon will remove to Louisana...

Wilkinson County News from the Irwinton Southerner: Died in this county, on the 20th inst., in the 27th year of his age, Mr. Charley Smith, of congestion. After three weeks illness in the full bloom of manhood, he passed away, leaving behind a devoted wife and two small children to mourn this their sad loss. He was loved by all who knew him; Mr. William Vanlandingham, at the advanced age of eighty years, died at his home near this place at five o'clock,

on Monday morning last. He was a good man, and a brother-in-law of Mrs. L. L. Peacock of this place.

Mrs. Sallie, wife of Mr. Henry Bailey, of this county died at the residence of her husband on last Saturday night.

Vol. 15, #36, Thursday Morning, 8 Sep.1881:

Hon. J. T. Glover, the Representative of Twiggs County, was taken sick in Atlanta last week, and left for home. He reached the residence of Dr. O'Daniel, near Bullard's Station, and died on Sunday morning last. He was one of the most useful as well as one of the most honored citizens of Twiggs County.

From the Dublin Post: Mrs. J. I. D. Miller, Mrs. J. H. Monford, and a son of Mr. Samuel Roach, of this county (Laurens), and Mrs. W. C. Smith, of Bartow, died' last week.

Mrs. Katie Moore died at the residence of her brother-in-law, Mr. W. W. Moore, near Hawkinsville, this (Wednesday) morning. She was the widow of Mathias Moore, who was killed in battle during the late war. The burial will take place tomorrow (Thursday) morning, at Orange Hill Cemetery at nine o'clock. The friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral.

Double Wedding: On Monday morning last at eleven o'clock, at the residence of Mr. James Bohannon, in Dooly County, Mr. W. T. Betts, of that county, and Miss. Georgia Bohannon, were married, and at the same time and place, Mr. Joseph W. Polhill, of Pulaski, and Mrs. V. C. Bozeman. Rev. H. R. Felder, of Hawkinsville, officiated. The ladies are sisters, and daughters of Mr. James Bohannon.

Vol. 15, #37, Thursday Morning, 15 Sep.1881:

A most horrible accident occurred in this county one day last week. The little three or four year old boy of Mr. Ed. Pearce was playing about under the gin house while the gin was in motion ... and his head was literally crushed to pieces - scattering his brains out upon the ground. It was a sad and horrible spectacle.

A postal from a friend informs us of the death near Temperance, Telfair County, on the 7th inst., of Mrs. Mary Williamson, wife of Rev. James Williamson. Mrs. Williamson passed away in the eighty-fifth year of her age. She was well known in Hawkinsville, and "Uncle Jimmie" has many friends in this community who mourn with him the loss of his aged companion.

Mr. William C. Jelks, brother of J. O. Jelks, Sr., of Hawkinsville, came upon a visit to his brother and family last week. Mr. Jelks now resides at Ty Ty, Worth County, Ga., on the Brunswick and Albany Railroad. His wife died on the first day of July of the present year, aged about sixty-two years. She was formerly Miss. Ann Mayo, of this county, where they were married on the 5th of November 1835. She was invalid for many years...

Mr. R. S. Anderson, Sr., died at his residence, three miles west of Hawkinsville, on Friday last, September 9th, after five days of intense illness. Mr. Anderson was born in North Carolina in the year 1809 and was therefore about seventy-two years old. At the age of six years he came to this county with his parents, who settled about twelve miles northeast of Hawkinsville, on Shellstone Creek. In 1833 he removed to the place on which he died, where thirteen children were born to him, seven of whom, four sons and three daughters, survive him and honor his name. He was the father of Capt. R. W. Anderson, one of our most enterprising farmers and warehousemen, and who has several times, respresented Pulaski County in the State Legislature; also of Messrs. Josiah J., Jno. L. and Robert R. Anderson and Mrs. Harden, and Mrs. Dr. Moreland, of this county, and Mrs. Eneas Murphey, of Barnesville, Ga... He united with the Baptist Church at Hayneville, Ga., in 1842, and a few years later removed his membership to the church at this place, of which he was a shining light to the day of his death. He was a good and useful citizen, honest in all his dealings and a successful farmer. He leaves about thirty-eight grand children. He was buried at Orange Hill Cemetery in this place on Saturday last, by the side of his beloved wife whom he survived only a few months, she having died in December last.

Tribute of Respect by Millwood Lodge, No. 9, F.& A.M: Brother Nathan Youngblood was born 1805, in Hancock County, Georgia, and died August 10, 1881. He moved to Dooly County about the year 1836, being one of the first settlers...

Vol. 15, #38, Thursday Morning, 22 Sep.1881:

From the Americus Recorder under title "Did the Sheriff Kill His Wife:" One of the saddest deaths from any cause that it has ever become our duty as a journalist to record is that on Monday last, of Mrs. F. T. Rape, the wife of the present Sheriff of Dooly County.

Mr. R. R. Anderson, of this county, was married on the 8th inst. to Miss Julia Hutchins, at Millersburg, Kentucky. The bride is a sister of Mrs. Henry B. Marr, of this county.

Mr. Joe W. Mann, of Perry, died in that place on Monday morning last. He was a brother of Mr. E. S. Mann, of Hawkinsville, and father of Mr. Ed. Mann, well known of this section.

Dr. E. A. Ligget died at his home in Dooly County on Friday last.

Mr. Willie R. Coleman died at Cochran on Friday night last, and the remains were burned in Rose Hill Cemetery in Macon on Sunday morning last.

On Friday night last, at fifteen minutes past midnight, at his home five miles below Abbeville, Wilcox County, Hon. George R. Reid departed this life at the advance age of seventy-five years, six months and one day. The deceased was a remarkable man in many respects... He was born at St. Mary's, Florida in 1806, at which period that country belonged to Spain. In 1812 he moved with his

parents to Georgia, and settled at Old Hartford, in Pulaski County, where, we believe, we have heard him state that his father was buried. At that time the Indians occupied the whole of the county west of the Ocmulgee. Not a house then stood where Hawkinsville now stands. Mr. Reid leaves a large family. Of his immediate descendants, there are now living three sons and seven daughters, two of whom, Mrs. Jas. H. Dycher and Mrs. R. D. Holton, live in this county. He was often chosed by his fellow citizens to full positions of honor and trust. At one time he represented Irwin County in the Legislature, and subsequently, the county of Wilcox, which was partly created out of Irwin. He was also Judge of the Inferior Court. During the late war he was Captain of a company of militia that assemble at Macon to meet General Sherman's army on its march to the seacost. Mr. Reid was probably the largest sheep and cattle raiser in Southern Georgia, and leaves an estate estimated to be worth forty thousand dollars. Among his many virtues were his love of justice an his incorruptible integrity. He was peaceable, hospitable and kind hearted, and a noble citizen. A rosewood coffin was purchased in Hawkinsville on Saturday, and the burial took place on Sunday at ten o'clock, when his remains were laid by the side of those of his first wife on his old homestead.

Dr. Daniel W. Graham, one of the most popular and promising of young men, died of typhoid fever at the residence of his father (Hon. Duncan A. Graham,) in Telfair County, on the 15th inst. The deceased graduated from a medical college about a year ago, and had commenced the practice of his professiong with bright prospects. His death is deeply regretted by all who knew him.

Vol. 15, #39, Thursday Morning, 29 Sep.1881:

Died, at the home of his father, in Pulaski County, on Tuesday, September 20th, 1881, of congestion of the brain, Henry Theodore, son of Mr. G. B. and Mrs. Sarah E. Wood. Henry had reached the promising age of fourteen years...

Mr. John P. Lee and his wife, May Lee, of Twiggs County, are aged respectively seventy-six and seventy-two years. They have raised eleven children, ten of whom are now living and all married, except the youngest son, who is twenty-seven years old and still lives with his parents. The oldest is Mrs. Eliza Brown, aged fifty-one years. This aged couple have, in all their family, one hundred and thirteen children, fourteen of whom are great-grand children. Mr. Lee has lived on his present place in Twiggs County, thirty-five years and has never purchased but sixteen bushel of corn in his life. Up to the first of August of this year, he had three hundred bushel of old corn in his crib. We learn these facts from his nephew, Mr. J. L. Roland, of Dooly County, who paid them a visit the present summer.

Deaths in Upper Pulaski: On Saturday morning, the 10th ult., at his residence at Goldsboro, after a brief illnes of fever, Mr. J. R. Smith departed this life, Also a few hours later, Mrs. Smith, daughter-in-law of Mr. J. R. Smith, and wife of Mr. Huly Smith, departed this life of the same disease. Mr. Smith was a highly respected citizen of Goldsboro, and was engaged in the merchantile business at the time of his death. They were interred at Salem graveyard on Sunday evening. It is not often to witness such a scene, a father and

daughter-in-law, lying cold in death at the sametime. Mr. Smith was a good neighbor, a kind husband and father and by his death we feel we have lost one of our best citizens. Mrs. Smith was a daughter of Mr. James Henson. She leaves a husband and five small children to mann her loss. The burial services were conducted by Rev. G. F. Towell... F., Goldsboro, Ga., September 12th, 1881.

After a prostrated illness that terminated in general dropsy and caused his death, George A., the son of J. W. and Nancy Helms, departed this life on the 19th of September, aged eight years... V.H.W.

Vol. 15, #40, Thursday Morning, 6 Oct.1881:

Obituary: Died, on the 7th inst., Mrs. Mary Williamson, wife of Rev. James Williamson, aged 81 years... Devotion.

Died, near Hawkinsville, on Monday morning, Sept. 26,1881, in the sixty-seventh year of her age, Mrs. Pensy Carruthers, wife of Mr. J. W. Carruthers.

Mr. John McKinney died at his home near Blue Spring, in this county, on Sunday evening last, aged fifty-four years. Mr. McKinney had been suffering with a cancer on his face for several years, and his death was not unexpected.

Mr. Warren B. Hamilton, of Dooly County, died at the residence of his brother-in-law, Mr. L. L. Harrell, near Hawkinsville, on Thursday night last. Mr. Hamilton had been in declining health for several months. He was the youngest of the Hamilton brothers, who were born and raised in Pulaski County. The remains were taken to his home on Gum Creek, in Dooly County, for burial.

Married, at the residence of Rev. R. E. Mills, father of the bride, on the 25th ult., by Rev. M. N. McCall, Mr. R. G. Lytle to Miss. E. L. Mills. All of Pulaski.

Little Rasdal, infant child of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Woods, died at the home of its grandfather, Mr. A. Newman, near Hawkinsville, on Thursday afternoon last.

Mr. Joseph Pate died in the Thirteenth District of Dooly County, on Saturday, September 24th, 1881, aged about twenty-five years.

We find the following in the Atlanta Constitution of the 29th ult: On the 12th of October, Miss. Alice Selig, one of Atlanta's most cultured young ladies, will be wedded to Mr. Joseph Jacobus, of Hawkinsville...

From Houston Home Journal: One of the saddest death it has ever been our melancholy duty to chronicle, occured last Thursday morning, the 22nd inst., about two miles from Perry on the Macon raod. Tommie, the eldest son of Mr. Martin J. Nelson, a lad of ten years of age... (forehead crushed by door from cotton equipment and died shortly thereafter.)

Tribute of Respect, Western Light Lodge, No. 272, F.& A.M., Abbeville, Ga., Sept. 24, 1881: George R. Reid, on the 17th of September 1881, in the seventy-sixth year of his age...

News from Upper Pulaski, From the Cochran Enterprise: On Sunday last, at 2 o'clock, Mr. Frazer Simpson died of congestive fever at his home, three miles below Cochran. Mr. Simpson was about twenty five years of age, and one of the best farmers in their section. He leaves a wife and two children; Three weeks ago Dr. T. D. Walker was summoned to Lake City, Florida, to see his mother who was on a visit to relatives, and was taken suddenly ill - just as we go to press a telegram announces her death. "Aunt Ann," as everybody knew her, was the last of the large family of the original Walkers of Longstreet, and our hearts sadden to record the death of one so good and so pure and the last link that bound together two generations. The remains will be brought upon this (Thursday) evening and be interred at the family cemetery at Longstreet on Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

From Houston Home Journal: On Tuesday of last week, Mrs. H. L. Dennard and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Cooper left Perry in answer to a telegram summoning them to the bedside of Mr. Charles Faulk, at his residence in Twiggs County. On Friday Mr. Faulk breathed his last, having suffered intensely from miningetis. Mr. Faulk was a son-in-law of Mrs. H. L. Dennard and father of Mrs. C. F. Cooper of Perry. He was 59 years old, a member of the Baptist Church, and one of the most prominent citizen of Twiggs County.

Vol. 15, #41, Thursday Morning, 13 Oct.1881:

Mr. J. B. Odom, a highly esteemed citizen of Worth County, died at his home near Warwick, in this county, on the 7th of September, aged fifty-three years. Mr. Odom was a worthy and exemplary Mason, and was buried with the honors of that fraternity.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father in Irwin County, on the Morning of the 5th inst., by Rev. R. M. Boothe, Mr. T. T. Maulden to Miss Mary Clements, daughter of Mr. Elias Clements.

Mrs. Anna Bullard, member of Bethel Church, and daughter of Mr. Charles Burch, of Dodge County, died of typhoid fever on the 1st inst. Mr. Burch and several more of his children are prostrated with the same disease.

Died, in Irwin County, on the first day of October 1881, in her seventy-seventh year, Mrs. Margaret Paulk, wife of George Paulk. This aged couple had been married about fifty-three years and were among the oldest settlers in Irwin County. They were originally from Laurens County. Mrs. Paulk died a consistent member of the Baptist Church, with which she had been connected for more than forty years. Her maiden name was Cook, and she was a twin sister of Mrs. Jane Pickett, mother of Mrs. John C. Pohill, of Pulaski County. "Aunt Margaret," as she was familiarly called, was buried at the family grave year of Mr. Jacob Paulk, on Sunday, October 3rd, and her remains were followed to their last resting place by a large procession of relatives and friends.

Mr. "Chap" Coppage, for several years mailcarrier between Hawkinsville and Vienna, died in the latter place on Tuesday evening last, October 11th.

Vol. 15, #42, Thursday Morning, 20 Oct.1881:

From Irwinton Southerner: On Wednesday, September 21st, Mrs. Jinsy Watson, aged seventy, left her house in Hancock County to visit her sister, Mrs. McCook, in Wilkinson County. Mrs. Nancy Parker, another sister, on learning that Mrs. Watson had come over to Mrs. McCook's, determined to go there and see her, and for this purpose left her home on Saturday. Immediately on their arrival at Mrs. McCook's, the two visiting sisters were stricken suddenly down with some fatal disease, which resulted in the death of both in a few hours of each other, Mrs. Watson died on Monday the 26th, and Mrs. Parker on the day following - not being able to speak to each other after meeting thus. Both were buried in the same graveyard and at the same time.

Little, Jesse, aged about two years, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Taylor, died at their home, near Lamkin's Mill, in this county, on Saturday evening last.

Little, Lillie, infant babe of Mr. & Mrs. Charlie Choate, died at their residence in Hawkinsville on Friday evening last.

Judge (Hiram) Dennis, and Miss Sallie B. Oliver, were married at the bride's residence on Tuesday morning last at 10 o'clock, Rev. G. R. McCall officiating. After receiving the congratulations of many friends and partaking of the repast, furnished them at the residence of Mr. Willis, the happy couple took the five o'clock train for their home in Troup County.

Items from Telfair: McRae, Ga., October 18, 1881 - Mr. George Reynolds, formerly Sheriff of this county, died at Conyers, Ga., on Thursday morning last. His son Dr. J. B. Reynolds, of Lumber City, was with him at the time of his death. The burial took place from the Methodist Church on Friday morning... Editor.

Mr. Irwin Walden, an aged and highly respected citizen of Dooly County, died on Friday last.

Mr. Benjamin W. Goode, of Hot Springs, Ark., arrived in Hawkinsville on Monday last on a short visit to his relatives and friends here. He is a brother of the late Col. Charles T. Goode, whose widow, Mrs. C. W. Goode...

From the Eastman Times: Mr. John H. Dominy, a good and worthy citizen of Laurens County, died suddenly on Thursday last at his home a few miles above Dublin.

Hon. Daniel McMillan of Montgomery County, after years of patient suffering, died at his home three miles above Mt. Vernon on Sunday morning, October 2d, 1881.

Vol. 15, #43, Thursday Morning, 27 Oct.1881:

Mr. Haywood Hughes died at his home at Jeffersonville, Twiggs County, on the 17th inst.

Frank Merritt, a promising and esteemed young man, died at the home of Capt. R. W. Anderson, near Hawkinsville, on Tuesday morning, 25th inst. Aged about twenty-one. His illness was very brief. He was taken on Friday night last with congestion of the bowels. Frank was the very picture of young manhood and was the youngest son of Mr. Simon Merritt. The news of his serious illness was telegraph to his mother, at Stonington, Connecticut, on Monday, and yesterday the sad tidings were conveyed to her of his death. She desired to be here at his funeral, and in now on the way. A coffin was purchased and the body embalmed to await her arrival. The burial will probably take place tomorrow or Saturday.

Mr. W. W. Davis, from the Wyoming Territory, is in Hawkinsville on a visit to his brother, Mr. F. S. Davis, conductor on the M. PB. Road... After spending a few days with his brother here, he will visit his people in North Carolina.

Married, on the 18th inst., at the residence of Hon. James E. Boothe, father of the bride, by Rev. H. R. Felder, Mr. Joseph M. White to Miss Donie Boothe, all of Pulaski.

Mr. William Holden, died on the 21st inst., at the home of his son-in-law, Mr. J. M. Williford, in Wilcox County. Mr. Holden was born in Emanuel County, Georgia on the 25th day of December, 1795, and at the time of his death was eighty-five years, nine months and 21 days old... He leaves a widow - whose age is said to be ninety years. Although a very old man, his death was probably more directly due to an ulcer on the face.

Death of Sol Maas. The above named gentleman, a well known merchant of Cochran, died at that place on Monday morning last... The remains were taken to Macon and buried with Masonic honors by Cochran Lodge, F.& A.M.

Tribute of Respect by Fort Valley Lodge, No. 226, F.& A.M: John B. Odom, on the 7th of September, 1881, in the fifty-third year of his age...

Vol. 15, #44, Thursday Morning, 3 Nov.1881:

Mr. Columbus Orr of Washington County, brother of Mr. Jared Orr of Dublin, died at Dr. Hicks, in Laurens County, on Monday. It seems that he started to Dr. H's. and got so very sick that he got down in the woods. At least he was found in the woods near by where he had apparently been for 24 hours. He was taken to the house and everything done for him that could be done but without avail. Dublin Post.

Claude, aged seven years, and eldest son of Thomas E. and Sarah E. Taylor, died on the 26th ult., after an illness of twenty-four hours. They have lost two of their boys within two weeks. The disease was inflammation of the brain

and bowels.

Married, on the 26 inst, at the residence of the bride, by Rev. R. O. Halton, Mr. Arthur Newman to Miss Martha Sanders...

Mr. Robert S. Harden and Miss Sarah R. Shepard were married on the evening of the 1st instant, at the residence of the bride's brother-in-law, Mr. J. J. Anderson. Rev. George R. McCall officiating...

Mrs. Mary Cobb, the widow of the late Hon. Thomas Cobb, died at her home in Dooly County on Wednesday night, October 26th 1881, in the eighty-seventh year of her age. She settled with her husband, below Hawkinsville nearly sixty years ago, when this section was inhabited by the Indians, and there were but few white settlers. She had lived about fifty years on the place where she died. Her husband was the clerk of the first court ever organized in Dooly County and was one of its early representatives in the Legislature.

Vol. 15, #45, Thursday Morning, 10 Nov.1881:

Dr. Joseph Forbes, Sr., died at his home in Vienna, Ga., on Thursday last. He was a most highly esteemed citizen and physician.

The wife of Mr. James Turner, formerly of Pulaski County, died at the home of her husband in Floyd County on the 23d of last month.

Mr. William Ryals, of Telfair County, died at his home near Temperance, in that county, on the night of the 20th inst., of general derangement of the system...

Vol. 15, #46, Thursday Morning, 17 Nov.1881:

Mr. John R. Christian, a well known and popular newspaperman, is ready for the congratulations of his friends. He was married in Hawkinsville on Wednesday, 9th inst., to Miss Emma F. Evans. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. R. McCall, at the residence of the bride's brother, Mr. John W. Evans...

Mrs. Smith, wife of Mr. Richard T. Smith, died at her home near Gum Creek, Dooly County, on Monday last. Mrs. Smith was a sister of Capt. John H. Martin, of Hawkinsville. The remains were buried at the cemetery in Vienna.

Mr. George W. Boatright died at his home in Dooly County on Sunday morning last, aged about thirty-one years. Mr. Boatright had been confined to his bed with typhoid fever for thirty-five days... The funeral was preached at Antioch Church on Monday last by Rev. W. R. Steeley, and the burial service was performed by the Masons of Millwood Lodge, of which the deceased was a member... Mr. Boatright leaves a widow and three children.

Mr. Charles R. Coney died at his home on the east side of the Ocmulgee on Friday night, November 11th, 1881, aged about thirty-three years. For two or three years past he had been the book-keeper for Messrs. P. C. Clegg & Co. He had been unwell for several weeks, but in last illness was confined to his

bedside only a week. The burial took place at the cemetery in Hawkinsville on Sunday last.

Abbeville, Ga., Nov. 11, 1881: Mrs. Mary Turner, widow of the late Hon. Smith Turner, of this county (Wilcox) died on the 9th inst., in her seventy-third year. Mrs. Turner was the first settler at Abbeville, shortly after the county of Wilcox was organized. She was well known by the position she occupied, as hers was the only place of entertainment in Abbeville until recently, and she always fed the poor as well as those who were able to pay their way. She was a kind mother ... she was a consistent member of the Primitive Baptist Church, and had been for fifty years. She died as she lived - a christian.

Vol. 15, #47, Thursday Morning, 24 Nov.1881:

From Houston Home Journal: Mr. Frank M. Jones who lived about four miles west of Perry, had his hand cut severely by the saws of a gin last Thursday, and died that night for loss of blood...

From Cochran Enterprise: Uncle Sol Walters, whom all the old citizens well remembers, such as Judge Dykes, Moses Dykes, the Walkers, and Coleys, in now in town and gives us this sad history. Uncle Sol was 84 years old on the 3rd of March last and his wife, good old soul, counted her 83rd year on the 11th day of October. They were married 65 years ago last August in the old north state (N.C.) and have been the mutual parents of thirteen children, and all these descendants are now under the sod, and old Uncle Sol and his good wife are active and cheerful and waiting patiently for God's call to the reunion with their lost and loved ones. These good old people live now in Dooly County.

The Dublin Gazette of last week states that about ten days ago Mr. Fleet Pope, a young man eighteen years of age, living in Laurens County, "struck one of his feet against the end of a fence rail lying on the ground and stuck a splinter between two of his toes to a considerable depth. He failed to get it out and hence inflamation set in. Two days ago a physician was sent for and the work of removing the splinter was commenced, but before the operation was completed the patient was taken with locked jaw and death ensued in a very few minutes. It is said the suffering was terrible."

On Wednesday, the 16th inst., Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Bozeman, living nine miles below Hawkinsville, lost their little daughter Nelie, aged about six years, from an attack of malarial hemorrhagic fever...

Mr. William Ham, after a long illness of typhoid fever, died at his home a few miles below Hawkinsville, on Saturday last. Mr. Ham was born in Houston County and was raised near Vienna. For several years he has been engaged with Mr. Loam Brown in the sawmill business, performing the duties of engineer, etc. He was a brother of Mr. J. K. P. Ham, of this place.

Rev. George R. McCall. At the conference of the first Baptist Church last Sunday morning, the church decided to call the above named gentleman to serve that Church... He was born in Screven County, this state, on the 7th of February 1829, and was baptised by his own father when only fifteen years of age... Mr. McCall comes to Griffin from Hawkinsville, where he has been stationed nearly ever since 1865... Griffin Sun, November 20th.

Obituary: Little Nelie Nichols, second daughter of C. M. and Dillard Bozeman, fell asleep in Jesus, November 16, 1881, aged five years and eight months... Aunt Fannie.

Mr. James B. McDuffie, Mayor of Hawkinsville, was married in Savannah yesterday evening 22d inst., to Miss Annie Warren, daughter of Hon. Joseph L. Warren of Savannah...

Tribute of Respect by Fire Company No. 1: Upon the death of Mr. F. S. Merritt, who was a member of their company... (Compiler's Note: No death or genealogical data given.)

Mr. Leroy Napier, died at his home near Smarr's Station on last Tuesday. A few days before that, when returning from his farm in Houston County, and within a few miles from home, he was thrown or fell from his buggy. He was found insensible next day and carried home, where the skill of the physician and tender nursing from affectionate hands were exhausted in endeavoring to bring back the waning light of life, but all in vain. He lingered a few days and died and on Wednesday last was buried in the cemetery at Forsyth. Mr. Napier has been a resident of Monroe for a few years only, but in that short time had won the confidence and esteem of all who knew him. His parents lived in Macon, where the family was well known. He was a brother of Capt. B. H. Napier, of this city. He leaves a widow and five little children. He requested that they move to Forsyth and make this their home. He was about forty years of age and was in the prime of his usefulness as a man and citizen. Monroe Advertiser, Nov. 22nd. Mr. Napier was well known in Hawkinsville.

<u>Vol. 15, #48, Thursday Morning, 1 Dec.1881</u>:

A postal card from Stephensville of the 28th, informs us of the death, at eleven o'clock on Sunday last, 27th, of Mrs. Mary D. Green, wife of Rev. Benjamin C. Green and mother of Hon. Joel T. Coney, of Laurens County.

Capt. John F. Pickett died at his residence in Americus on the night of the 22nd inst., of hemmorrhagic fever. He was about thirty-two years of age, and was a brother of Mr. H. C. Pickett, of Hawkinsville. The Sumter Republican, noting the death of Capt. Pickett, says: The deceased was a native of Sumter County, and a most excellent gentleman... He leaves a wife and two small children, with a host of friends and relatives to mourn his death.

Messrs. Amos and John Pipkin, sons of Mr. Edward Pipkin, of this county, reached Cochran on Saturday last on a visit to their father and other

relatives and friends. These gentlemen moved from this county to Texas about fourteen years ago, going out with Mr. William Hendley, and settling in Smith County, where they engaged in farming, and it is reported with fine success. This is their first visit to Georgia since their departure in 1867. They were members of Capt. Anderson's Battery, and their old comrades and friends wish them a pleasant visit to their old home.

We are informed that George Royal was killed by Aleck Story, on Wednesday night of last week, in the house of Judge Young, in the upper edge of Worth County, just below the Dooly line... Next morning the remains were taken to the home of Mr. Hardy Stephens and an inquest was held. The jury retuned a verdict the killing was done in self defence... The body of Royal was buried at Zion Hope Church on Swift Creek, on Thursday, 24th, the day following his death.

Obituary: Died, at the residence of her parents, in Dooly County, Ga., November 20th, 1881, Louiza Elizabeth Hall, daughter of W. A. J. Hall, aged 8 years, 6 months and 8 days. She was taken on Sunday morning, 20th, and died about half past six in the evening of hemmorragic fever... M.M., Montezuma Weekly please copy.

Died, at the home of his parents, in Wilcox County, on the 23d day of November, 1881, after a long and painful illness, Washington L. Griffin, aged seventeen years and seven months, son of Samuel C. and Rutha Griffin.

From Houston Home Journal: At about one o'clock last Sabbath morning, Mrs. Emma C. Smith died at the residence of her husband, Mr. Warren Smith, about three miles northeast of Perry. The burial took place at the family cemetery late Sunday evening. The immediate cause of her death was heart disease... Mrs. Smith was born in Twiggs County, though she had resided in Houston since early girlhood. She was about 40 years old, and would have been married 25 year on the night of the 20th, only a few yours after her burial...

Vol. 15, #49, Thursday Morning, 8 Dec.1881:

From Dublin Post: Mrs. Rev. B. C. Green, mother of Hon. Joel T. Coney, died on Sunday last of typhoid fever...

From Dublin Gazette: Mr. W. Y Graham died at his home in this county (Laurens) on the night of the 21st of consumption...; An infant child of Eli Adams who was a candidate for the Legislature in the last race, was burned to death last Thursday; Mr. John A. Lendon died at his home in this county on the 19th inst., aged about forty-eight years. For four or five months he has been afflected with paralysis, which baffling all medical aid, continued to increase until the end. He leaves five children, three by the first marriage, who are now grown and two smaller by a second wife, who died about eighteen months ago. Just before he was stricken, Mr. McLendon insured his life in a safe company for $5,000 and the policy is paid up. Hence he leaves his family provided for.

Married, on the 20th November, at the residence of the bride's mother, in Telfair County, by Rev. James Williamson, Col. W. J. Williams to Miss Rebecca S. Willcox...

Sudden Matrimonial Alliance...: There must be such a thing as "love at first sight." The marriage of Mr. Henry J. Sandlin and Miss. Mabel Clarke, at eleven o'clock on Thursday night last, at the residence of Judge John Henry, renders the saying quite true. This young couple had never met but once before, and then only for about ten minutes. The young lady is a daughter of the late Judge James T. Clarke, of Americus. Some weeks ago she came to Houston County on a visit to her aunt, Mrs. E. T. Keen, of Henderson, and other relatives. Last week, with a young lady friend, she came to Hawkinsville on a visit to Judge Henry's family, her father having been a cousin of Mrs. Henry...

Tribute of Respect by Millwood Lodge, No. 19, F.& A.M: Your committee appointed to write a memorial of Brother Irwin Waldin, submit the following: Brother Waldin was for many years a citizen of Dooly County. He was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church. He was a kind husband and a indulgant father. He departed this life at his home on the 14th day of October last...

Vol. 15, #50, Thursday Morning, 15 Dec.1881:

From the Houston Home Journal: Married, on yesterday, 7th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. J. W. Woolfolk, about five miles from Perry, Miss Susie Woolfolk to Mr. A. B. Clark, of Atlanta...

From Dublin Post: Mr. Eugene Harvard, of Laurens Hill, son of Mr. Q. L. Harvard, of Cochran, died on Sunday last of typhoid fever...; Mr. Thomas Bedgood lost his little Maud with whooping cough and typhoid fever Monday last - the second time death has visited his family within a week...

P. J. Hodge, Esq., formerly of Hawkinsville, but for the last two years living in the west, was married at Eureka, Arkansas, a few days ago to Miss Lee, also formerly of Georgia and for a short time a resident of Hawkinsville.

Vol. 15, #51, Thursday Morning, 22 Dec.1881:

From Fort Gaines Tribune: Capt. Jno. B. Johnson was married in Eastman on the evening of the 10th inst., to Mrs. Laura McGhee of Bronson, Fla...

Tribute of Respect: We the committee appointed by Millwood Lodge, No. 198, A.F.PA.M., to draw up resolutions, submit the following: Our much esteemed Brother, George W. Boatright, departed this life on Nov. 13th, 1881, at his home in Dooly County. He was a very zealous worker in the Missionary Baptist Church at Antioch, in Pulaski County, of which he became a member several years ago... He was attacked by typhoid fever... Dec. 9, 1881.

From the Houston Home Journal: Mrs. Eliza Vinson, relic of Mr. Joe Vinson, who resided near the Crawford line, died on the 7th inst., after many days illness. She was about 65 years of age - a Christian lady, and highly respected by all

who knew her...; Mrs. Harper, an aged lady, died at her home, near Byron, on the 8th inst. She was sick many days previous to her death. Her remains were carried to Crawford County for interment.

Vol. 15, #52, Thursday Morning, 29 Dec.1881:

Laurens County Items (From Dublin Post): Mr. J. J. Rozar and Miss. Augusta Wright were married on the 14th inst., Rev. W. S. Ramsay officiating...; On Thursday evening, 15th inst., Mr. Tully Milton and Miss Tommie Barkwell were married by Rev. W. S. Ramsay...; Mr. Augustus Hobbs, son of Mr. A. J. Hobbs, died on last Wednesday night after a long illness with typhoid fever...

Wilkinson County Items (From Irwinton Southerner): At the home of the bride's mother in Americus on Thursday evening, the 15th, Mr. John F. Porter, of Wilkinson County was married to Miss Fannie Brown, of Americus...; It is with regret that we announce the death of Mr. Geo. W. Oathout, which occurred on Thursday evening last at six o'clock...

Mr. Willie E. Powell, of Hawkinsville Bank & Trust Co., was married on the evening of the 22d inst., to Miss Sallie A. Fenn, daughter of Mr. John Fenn, of Dooly. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. R. Felder, of Hawkinsville, at the residence of the bride's father...

Robert Raiford, Esq., a young lawyer formerly of Cochran, died at the home of his father-in-law, Judge W. B. Cone, in Dooly County, on the evening of the 23rd inst.

Mr. Thomas D. McGriff died at the home of his father, Mr. T. J. McGriff, on Longstreet, in this county, on the evening of the 23d inst., aged about thirty years.

Married at the residence of the bride's mother, at Lumber City, Ga., on Monday morning, 26th inst., Mr. William Pritchett, of McRae, Ga., and Miss Lollie E. McLeod, of Lumber City, Ga. Rev. J. L. Williams, officiating.

From the Houston Home Journal: Mr. Charles C. Whitehurst, who died at his residence near Perry on the 8th inst., two weeks ago, was about 73 years old, and had been a citizen of Houston County 38 years... He leaves a widow and several children, all grown and married, to mourn his loss.

Information was brought from Jeffersonville yesterday that Col. John T. Glover, a prominent and promising lawyer of Twiggs County, died in that place yesterday morning. Col. Glover was the opponent of Hon. James H. Blount in the last nomination for Congress. Macon Telegraph, Dec. 28th.

Vol. 16, #1, Thursday Morning, 5 Jan.1882:

Mrs. Martin, the estimable wife of Capt. John H. Martin, died on Friday morning, 30th ult., at two o'clock. The burial took place in Orange Hill Cemetery, on Saturday last.

Mr. J. F. Chambers and Miss Samantha Taylor were married on the evening of the 29th ult., at the residence of Mr. J. R. Beverly, in Hawkinsville. Rev. E. A. Burch, officiating.

Major William L. A. Ellis, with his wife and daughters, left Hawkinsville on Monday evening last for Dallas, Texas. Many friends bid them goodbye at the depot, and united in wishing them a pleasant trip to their western home.

On the evening of the 24th ult., Mr. Geo. W. Mathews, of Lothair, Montgomery County, Ga., was married to Miss Abbie Reid, at the residence of the bride's father, Hon. Drury Reid of Wilcox. An eligant "infare" was given in honor of the occassion by Capt. E. K. Wilcox, at the residence, "Sun-Shine."

Dr. David Sapp, of Dodge County, died at his home near Dubois, in that county, on Sunday morning last... Dr. Sapp had filled namy offices of honor and trust in Pulaski and Dodge Counties, and was recognized as an influential and prominent citizen, and as one taking a lively interest in all matters pertaining to the public welfare. Among other prominent positions he filled by public favor was that of Delegate from this district to the State Constitutional Convention held in 1877. He leaves a large family connection and many friends to mourn his death.

Mr. Thomas Reeves, a highly esteemed citizen of this county, died at his home near Longstreet on Tuesday evening, 3d instant, aged about fifty-five years. The burial took place this (Wednesday evening) at the family burying ground.

Vol. 16, #2, Thursday Morning, 12 Jan.1882:

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Z. S. Fenn, of Dooly County, on the 29th ult., by Rev. G. W. Murray, Mr. John M. Warren, of Wilcox County, to Miss Eva D. Fenn.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, in Dooly County, on Thursday evening, the 5th instant, by Rev. Mr. Cordell, Mr. Seaborn Horne to Miss Emma Williams, daughter of J. M. V. Williams.

We are informed by Dr. J. K. Malloy, of Telfair, of the marriage of his grandfather, the reverend and venerable James Williamson, on the 3d inst., to Mrs. Polly Burnham, of Dodge County. "Uncle Jimmie," as our citizens familiarly call Mr. Williamson, was bereaved of his aged companion some three or four months ago, they having made the journey of life together for fifty-two years. He is now on his seventy-six year, and his new bride in her sixty-sixth. The ceremony was performed by his son, Rev. James W. Williamson, who is himself about fifty years of age. The venerable bride-groom was the pastor of the Baptist Church of Hawkinsville for a period of about twenty-five years, and was succeded by Rev. Geo. R. McCall, who held the pastorate for fifteen years. There are, perhaps, but few churches in the states which, for forty years, have had but two pastors...

Mr. John A. Holder owns the first grindstone ever brought to Hawkinsville. It belonged to Aleck Holmes, the first carpenter who came to Hawkinsville. Mr. Holder's father, the Rev. Wiley F. Holder, bought the stone about 1840 from Holmes. An incident in the life of Holmes was his killing of Amos Wingate, in Hawkinsville, about 1836 or 1837...

Mr. John Wesley Griffin, of Dodge County, was assassinated at Orlando, the county site of Orange County, Florida, one night last week... The remains were brought up to Telfair County and buried on Tuesday last... Mr. Griffin was originally from Gwinnett County, in this State, but for a while was a citizen of this county, and was a candidate, we believe, for Judge of the County Court of Pulaski in 1866 in opposition to Capt. W. H. Paxton.

From the Houston Home Journal: We regret to learn that Mrs. T. O. Skellie died last Monday morning at the residence of her husband in Fort Valley. She was a most estimable lady, leaves a devoted husband, several children and a host of friends to mourn her loss...

The Milledgeville Herald of Saturday last announced the death of Capt. W. W. Williamson, in that city, on Tuesday, the 3d inst. The deceased was the Captain during the war of the Pulaski Volunteers, known as Co. G, in the Eight Georgia Regiment. The Herald say: "William Washington Williamson was born in Milledgeville in 1838. After his scholostic education he graduated at the Lumpkin Law School, and opened office in Hawkinsville in 1860, whence he entered the military service of the Confederate States, as a private in the Eight Georgia Regiment. From the first Manasas to the gloom of Appomattox, he illustrated Georgia, winning his promotion, often commanding his regiment, and sometimes leading his decimated brigade to deeds of bravery. For several years after the war he abode in Florida, when he was converted to God, and joined the Methodist Church. Late in 1868, he returned to his native city and opened a law office in conjunction with Capt. T. F. Newell... In 1872 he was married to Miss Clifford Kenan, with whom he lived happily to the last. Three surviving children claim her maternal care. In 1872 the unpurchased favor of his people sent him to the Legislature, a sacrifice, as he deemed it, to which he would consent no more."

Vol. 16, #3, Thursday Morning, 19 Jan.1882:

Mr. James H. Dyches' infant son John Martin died Sunday night last, aged nine months and fifteen days. The burial took place at the cemetery on Monday afternoon.

Mr. David Ware, editor of the Dublin Post, was married on the 27th ult., to Miss Sidney Lasseter, of Laurens. Rev. W. S. Ramsay officiating...

Obituary: Died at his residence in Dooly County, on the 23rd day of December, 1881, Robet Raiford, Esq., aged 26 years. Of his early life the writer knows little. He was a son of deeply pious parents, living now in the town of Cochran, Pulaski County. My acquaintance with him began in 1876, when he came to Dooly County and taught school at Harmony Academy. During that year he

married Miss Lou L. Cone, daughter of W. B. Cone. Having abandoned teaching, he entered upon the study of law, for which he was so eminently fitted by nature and education, and in an incredibly short time prepared himself for, and was admitted to the bar with high hopes of future promise... Died of consumption, wasting rapidly... He leaves a wife and one little daughter... Florida.

From the Houston Home Journal: On last Saturday morning Mr. John Martin died at his residence in Houston County, near Marshallville... He leaves a wife and several children...

Vol. 16, #4, Thursday Morning, 26 Jan.1882:

Married, in Vienna, on the morning of the 19th inst., at the residence of the bride's mother, by Rev. R. M. Owen, Mr. Frank S. Davies to Miss Letitia Forbes.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. John Jenkins, on Thursday, the 17th inst., at 2 o'clock p.m., Mr. John L. Lane to Miss Mollie Jenkins. All of Dooly County, Ga. The Rev. Louis Parrott officiating... J.J.H.

Vol. 16, #5, Thursday Morning, 2 Feb.1882:

Missing.

Vol. 16, #6, Thursday Morning, 9 Feb.1882:

The Texas New Era, published at Longview, Texas, January 28th, contains the proceedings and resolutions of a meeting of the Longview bar in respect to the memory of Col. A. T. Burke, who formerly lived in this place. We extract from the same paper the following obituary notice: Col. A. T. Burke died at his residence, near Longview, last Tuesday night, the 24th inst. He was a native of Georgia, and lived there until after the war. He was a lawyer, and stood high in that honorable profession in his native state. At the commencement of the later war he entered the Confederate service as Captain, and was promoted to the rank of Colonel for valor displayed on the battlefield near Richmond, where he was badly wounded, from the effects of which he never fully recovered. He has resided in this county for the past ten years, and was very popular with the citizens of the entire county... A wife and three children are left in tears, besides two step-children and other relatives and numerous friends...

Information reached us on Monday last of the killing of Mr. James Fletcher, Jr., by Mr. James Gibbs, in Irwin County last week. We did not learn all the particulars and give our readers the following from the Berrien County News: From Rev. Lewis M. Griffin, who came to town on Wednesday, we learn of a most horrible affair which occurred at a party in the 6th district of Irwin County on Tuesday night last... Mr. James Fletcher, Jr., was struck on the head by Mr. James Gibbs with a club breaking his jawbone, and inflicting other injuries from which he died on the following day at 12 o'clock. He was the son of Jehu Fletcher, Sr., of Irwin County, and besides a wife and several children, leaves

a large family connection, and many friends to mourn his untimely death. Mr. Gibbs has fled.

From Houston Home Journal: We happened to be in the office of Ordinary Giles last Tuesday when license was issued for the marriage of Mr. W. B. Fitzgerald to Miss Anna Felder. The marriage is to take place this afternoon at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. McDonald Felder, at Henderson. Mr. Fitzgerald is a son of Mr. Green Fitzgerald, a prosperous farmer living in Houston County near Henderson...

Vol. 16, #7, Thursday Morning, 16 Feb.1882:

From the Irwinton Southerner: About ten miles from Irwinton there is a lonely grave enclosed by a few rude rails wherein sleeps one who wore the "gray" and whose memory is surrounded with sad and touching circumstances. He was from Southwest Georgia, and was a member of "Wheeler's cavalary," who were encamped on the premises of Mr. Solomon Ward, of this county, and when pressed by "Sherman and his men" this poor soldier mounting his horse to escape, rode a short distance and fell to the ground a lifeless corpse. Notwithstanding his comrades were in close proximity to the enemy, "they made him a grave neath the murmuring pine," and before the warmth of life had fled he was hastily buried. Not even a rough headboard marks the spot where this poor soldier sleeps. This grave is quite near the roadside and we are told by those acquainted with the above facts that his name was John Gregger.

Capt. William Kaigler, who died on Friday last, and Rev. William P. Jordan, who died on Sunday last, were both veterans of the Mexican War, and were old citizens of Dooly County...

Col. Oliver H. Cook, of Thomasville, arrived in Hawkinsville on Monday on a visit to his son, Dr. W. O. Cook. The Colonel has grown rich, they say, but he looks as young and fresh as he did many years ago.

Gen. Eli Warren died suddenly of heart disease at his home in Perry, Houston County, on Tuesday, February 14th, 1882, about twelve o'clock. General Warren was one of the oldest lawyers in Georgia, and was one of the best known and esteemed men of this section. Born about the year 1801, in Wilkinson County, he began the study and practice of law fully sixty years ago, and had followed the profession continually till the day of his death. He enjoyed the confidence and esteem of the many thousands who have grown up to manhood since he became a citizen of Houston..

Rev. William P. Jordan, of the Methodist Church, died on Sunday last at his home a few miles north of Vienna, in Dooly County. His remains were buried at Snow Spring Church on Monday last, and the funeral procession and the attendence at the grave was among the largest ever witnessed in the county. The deceased was highly esteemed by the people of Dooly. He was a veteran of the Mexican War.

Capt. William Kaigler, formerly of Dooly County, died at Andersonville, in Sumter County on Friday last. Capt. Kaigler was a survivor of the war between the United States and Mexico and was one of the unfortunate command (Col. Fanning's Regiment, we believe,) captured in 1837 while fighting for the independence of Texas. We have been told that he was one of the very few - who, after the "drawing of the beans," escaped with his life. It was his luck to draw a white bean twice. He resided in Dooly County for many years. But some time ago moved to Andersonville, where as above stated, his death occurred on Friday last.

Vol. 16, #8, Thursday Morning, 23 Feb.1882:

Col. Robert Wayne, of Laurens County, died on the 4th inst.

Married, in Dooly County, on the morning of the 14th inst., by Rev. A. J. Cheves, Mr. A. J. Zellner, of Monroe County, to Miss E. M. Owen.

Miss Leah E. White, niece of Mr. Geo. H. White, reached Hawkinsville on Monday last, having traveled by rail and boat all the way from Leon County, Texas - about thirteen hundred and fifty miles. Miss Leah is about fourteen years of age... Her father moved from Houston County west and died in 1872.

Reviewing the life of the late General Eli Warren, who died in Perry on the 14th inst., of heart disease, the Home Journal says: "Early in life Gen. Warren chose the law as his profession... He settled at Dublin, Laurens County, and married Miss. Jane Love, one of the most estimable ladies who ever lived, and who has for nearly three score of years been his faithful, devoted companion. He at once rose to prominence, and for many years represented Laurens County in the General Assembly. Some thirty-four years ago General Warren removed to Houston County where he has lived ever since. At half-past two o'clock yesterday afternoon, the funeral services were held at the Baptist Church, conducted by Rev's. E. W. Warren, William W. Landrum and B. W. Bussy, after which the mortal remains of Gen. Eli Warren were interred in his family burial lot at Evergreen Cemetery...

Houston County Items (From the Home Journal): Died, on Monday morning about 7 o'clock, Mrs. Sarah Harper, a very estimable and Christian lady... She was in the 81st year of her age, a member of the Missionary Baptist Church forty years... Her children, relatives and many friends mourn her death; On the 15th inst, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. James D. Tharp, about six miles from Perry, Mr. Joe B. Riley, of Perry, was married to Miss. Julia Tharp. Rev. B. F. Tharp, officiating.

Vol. 16, #9, Thursday Morning, 2 Mar.1882:

W. S. Cowan, a white man employed at the sawmill of J. P. Chapman, two miles and a half above McRae, on the Macon and Brunswick Railroad, was run over by the down night passenger train on the morning of the 18th of last month, and died on the 20th from the injuries received.

Mrs. Sallie Kibbee, wife of Mr. D. E. Kibbee, died at their residence in Hawkinsville on Friday morning last after a lingering illness. She was a daughter of the late Hon. Joseph Collier, of Dooly, and leaves four children. The remains were buried on Saturday morning last in the cemetery in Hawkinsville.

Mrs. Sabrina Beasley, aged about eighty years, died at the home of her son-in-law, Troy Johnson, Esq., in Wilcox County, on the 17th day of February 1882. She had been a consistent and worthy member of the Primitive Baptist Church for more than sixty years and her life was exemplary of her faith in the better world beyond the skies.

Mrs. Margaret Jones, wife of J. E. Jones, died very suddenly at the residence of her husband in Dooly County, Ga., on Monday, February 20, 1882. The remains were interred at Henderson, in Houston County, on the following day, and the funeral ceremonies conducted by Rev. Mr. Lane. (Editor's Note: She was Margaret E. Smith b. 1853 who married 14 Jul.1863 in Houston County, to James Edward Jones, son of Harrell Blackmore Jones and Nancy A. Hudson.)

Mrs. Winifred Reynolds, aged about eighty years, died on the 14th of February 1882, at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. L. E. Pierce, in Pulaski County. She was the mother of Reuben E. Reynolds, Esq., and a sister of Col. Albert S. Cutts, of Americus.

Mr. John N. Martin, of Albany, Ga., and Miss Lucinda A. Coley, of Pulaski were married on Tuesday evening last, at the residence of Mr. R. S. Maulden, near Hawkinsville. Rev. E. A. Burch, officiating.

Vol. 16, #10, Thursday Morning, 9 Mar.1882:

Mr. J. J. Sandlin, of Houston County and Miss Ida Harvard, daughter of Mr. William J. Harvard, of Dooly, were married at the residence of the bride's father near Byromville, on the 5th inst., Rev. R. M. Owen performing the ceremony.

On Saturday, the 25th of last month, about one o'clock in the afternoon, a difficulty occurred between Mr. J. R. Curry and Mr. George W. Wilcox, Jr., in Coffee County, in which Wilcox was shot by Curry. Wilcox lived until about dark. The parties were closely related, Curry by marriage, being a nephew of young Wilcox. The jury of inquest returned a verdict of murder against Curry. On Sunday afternoon, on the way to the burial of Wilcox, a son of Mr. Henry Ellis, familiarly called "Boy," was thrown against a tree by a young horse and died in a few hours.

On Monday morning, February 27th, 1882, Mr. Hardy Hart was found dead in his bed. He lived in the vicinity of Limestone Church, in this county, and was upward of eighty years of age. On the day preceding his death he appeared in his usual health, except that he complained of a slight burning sensation in his stomach. On Monday morning, when his aged wife awoke, she found him cold, and making no response to her calls, she made an examination and found him

dead. He was a brother of Crawford Hart, who died in Atlanta a few years ago. In his religious opinion Mr. Hart lived and died in the faith of Universalism - that is that the souls of all men are saved.

Died, at his home near Byromville, Dooly County, on the 3rd day of March, 1882, James Howell Sweargen, in the seventy-third year of his age. He purchased the lot of land on which he died, in August, 1827, for $100, and the latter part of that year with his wife, who still survives him, he entered upon the land, then an unbroken forest, with an Indian pony and a small bunch of cattle. This place he settled for a home and has remained on it for fifty-four years - has raised eleven children to be grown - nine of them still living and in their various spheres in life are doing well and much respected... In early life he was converted and united himself with the Methodist Episcopal Church... His remains were deposited in the family burial ground on the place, the funderal service being conducted by Revs. Wesley Lane and M. C. Jordan of the Methodist Church and Rev. Robert M. Owen of the Baptist Church, attended by numerous relatives, and all his neighbors willingly bore testimony of respect to his memory. A friend.

Vol. 16, #11, Thursday Morning, 16 Mar.1882:

The body of Mr. Thomas Day, the engineer on the Ida, who committed suicide on the 25th of last month by jumping from the boat into the river at Lumber City, was found near where he made the fatal leap.

A postal card, received last week from Mr. Green C. Matthews, formerly of this county, but now living in Arkansas... His post office for the present will be Park Place, Lee County, Arkansas.

Married, on Thursday evening, March 9th, at the residence of Mr. J. D. Choate, in this place, by Rev. H. R. Felder, Mr. William E. McVay, of Cochran, Ga., to Miss Sallie Birch, of Hawkinsville.

Married, in Hawkinsville, Ga., on Saturday, 11th inst., Mr. William Rooney and Miss Martha A. Mitchell. Rev. E. J. Coates officiating.

Vol. 16, #12, Thursday Morning, 23 Mar.1882:

In Memoriam: Mrs. Rebecca Forehand was born in Laurens County, Ga., January 30, 1812. She was converted and joined the M. E. Church when quite young, and lived a consistent member for more than fifty years, having had the pleasure of seeing all of her children and several of her grandchildren become members of the same church. Aunt Beckie, as the most of us called her, was a woman of deep piety. The writer of this notice was frequently at her house, for her home was the preachers' home indeed. It was a pleasure to meet or visit her. She lived in the spirit of grace, and was prompt in her seat at Rockhill Church... G. T. Embry.

In Memoriam: Died, at her home in Hawkinsville, Ga., December 29, 1881, of an affection of the heart, Mrs. Sarah Elenora Martin, daughter of William W. and

Louisa Winn, and wife of Capt. John H. Martin... She was born May 22, 1846... She was married August 12, 1869...

Vol. 16, #13, Thursday Morning, 30 Mar.1882:

Mr. J. Henry Mann, Sheriff of Irwin County, died on Tuesday, 21st inst. He had been afflected for several years.

Mr. John Israel died at his home on Swift Creek, in Dooly County, on Friday last of typhoid pneumonia. He was about thirty years old.

Mr. Alfred D. Ball died at his home near Abbeville, in Wilcox County, on the 20th inst., after an illness of nearly six months. He was one of the old settlers of Wilcox County, and was represented by all who knew him.

Tribute: Died at his residence near Vienna, Dooly County, Ga., on the 12th of February, 1882, Rev. William Parks Jordan, in the 59th year of his age. Reared by pious parents, he was taught the way of life, and it is no marvel that he should have embraced religion and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church at the early age of eight years... Brother Jordan has left a wife and 10 children, four of whom are daughters... J. Rufus Felder, Perry, March 23, 1882.

From Houston Home Journal: Mr. George W. Parker was married on the 1st of March to Miss Mollie E. Smith, instead of Miss Mattie Smith, as published in our last issue. Miss Mattie Smith is a sister of the bride...

On the 7th of February last at his residence in Floyd, Carroll Parish, Louisiana, Dr. Augusta Tharp, died in the 49th year of his age. Dr. Tharp was a brother of Rev. B. F. Tharp of Perry, and of Messrs. William and J. D. Tharp, of this county. He was well-known here, having formerly been resident of Perry. He moved to Louisiana in 1860...

Vol. 16, #14, Thursday Morning, 6 Apr.1882:

Fort Valley Mirror: "On Monday night last, during a heavy thunderstorm, while Mr. Stephen Barber and family were sitting in the family room before the fireplace, a bolt of lightning, which is supposed to have come down the chimney, killed little Newton, Mr. Barber's eldest son and wounded Mrs. Barber and her little babe. Little Newton was a bright little boy about seventeen years of age... Mr. Barber resides in Crawford County, about five miles from town."

Vol. 16, #15, Thursday Morning, 13 Apr.1882:

Found Dead in her Bed at the Age of Eighty-Two Years. Mrs. Jane Raney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Watson, was born in Telfair County, Ga., January 31, in the year 1800. In the year 1851 her husband moved to Wilcox County, where she lived up to her death, which occurred at the home of her grandson, Mr. John M. Roberts on the 31st day of March 1882, in the eighty-third year of her age... She leaves three children... Daniel Raney.

Vol. 16, #17, Thursday Morning, 20 Apr.1882:

(Compiler's Note: Somehow the editor numbered this edition #17, therefore #16 was ommitted. Date is correct.)

Miss Maybelle Clarke, daughter of Judge Clarke, of Americus, was wedded to Henry L. Sandlin, a worthy and well-to-do merchant of Houston. North Georgia Citizen.

We regret to learn of the death of Mr. James Carisle, which occurred at his home near Vienna, Dooly County, on Friday night last. He had suffered a long and painful illness from dyspepria, and his physician as well as his family, have for some time dispared of his recovery. Realizing his approaching disolution, he calmly talk of it, and a few days since made his will. His estate is estimated to be worth about thirty-five thousand dollars. An elegant casket for his remains was purchased in Hawkinsville on Saturday last.

Capt. Jas. A. McGriff died at his home, three miles west of Hawkinsville, on Monday morning last after a very brief illness. He was taken with sick headache on Friday evening last, having a light chill on Friday and Saturday nights each, and a congestive chill on Sunday night, from which he never recovered. Capt. McGriff was born and reared in Pulaski County, and was one of our most respected citizens. He was the only brother of our ordinary, Judge P. T. McGriff, but half brother to Hon. Thos. J. McGriff and W. T. Robuck of Longstreet, P. A. Robuck formerly of this county, but now of Florida, Mrs. John H. Brantly of Snow, Dooly County, and Mrs. John E. Lilly of Vienna, Ga. He was in his fifty-first year, and leaves an only son, Mr. P. T. McGriff, Jr., of this county. His wife, who died about eight years since, was the daughter of Judge B. B. Dykes, of Cochran. His remains were taken to the family burial ground of Judge Dykes, near Longstreet, on Tuesday for interrment by the side of those of his companion.

Married, on the morning of April 12th, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Warren S. Partin, of Hawkinsville, to Miss Sarah F. Greene, daughter of George Greene, Esq., of Atlanta, Ga. Rev. Dr. W. C. Williams, Rector of St. Luke's Church, Atlanta, performed the ceremony. The bride is a sister of Mrs. W. J. Keeling of this place.

Vol. 16, #18, Thursday Morning, 27 Apr.1882:

Mr. Perry Neal, for many years a citizen of this county, died in Bibb County on the 8th day of April 1882, after a long illness of typhoid fever...

Mr. Jimmie Irivn died at his home near Vienna, Dooly County on Thursday evening, April 20th, 1882. "Uncle Jimmie" was well known to the business men of this place, and enjoyed their respect and confidence. Like most all Irishmen he was always cheerful and genial... We are without particulars attending his death.

Mrs. Martha McDearmid, wife of Judge John McDearmid of McRae, Telfair County, died very suddenly about eleven o'clock on Friday last, April 21st.

Died, at his home in the 6th District of Dooly County, Ga., on Saturday, April 22d, Bennett Purvis, at the advanced age of 85 years. "Uncle Bennett" was one of the earliest settlers of Dooly County, and was prominently identified with its earlier history, having for several years served it in a public capacity, for several successive terms as Sheriff. With probably one exception, (Judge Bond, of Drayton), he was at the time of his death the oldest resident of the county. He was born June 25, 1797, in Jefferson County, Ga. He was married in 1816, and moved to this county in 1828. On July, 1853, his wife died, and he was again married in September, 1865, but lost the wife of his second marriage in January, 1869. He was a consistent member of the old Primitive Baptist Church for upward of 40 years, and died in the faith. Uncle Bennett was reverenced and respected by all who knew him, and beloved by a large circle of family and friends. "Peace to his ashes." Vienna, Ga., April 24, 1882.

Vol. 16, #19, Thursday Morning, 4 May 1882:

No event has cast a deeper gloom over our community than the death of Mrs. Mary E. Ferguson, which occurred at the residence of her husband, Mr. Willie F. Ferguson, on Friday afternoon last, after a very brief illness. Only two months over a year previous to her death, our friend Willie led his lovely young bride to the alter... She was the oldest daughter of our friend and fellow townsmen Mr. John Fale, and was about eighteen years of age... The many beautiful floral tributes that covered the casket and the large assembly of our people who attended her funeral at Orange Hill Cemetery on Saturday afternoon... She leaves a little daughter five months old, who, with its father, has the heartfelt sympathy of our entire community.

Little Willie Hooks, infant son of Mr. Joseph P. Harvard, of Dooly, died of whooping cough April 20, 1882, aged five months.

A letter from Pateville. Mrs. Patsy Davis, sister of Mr. Hardy Pitts, died at the residence of the latter a few days ago, after being confined to her bed for the past three years, and suffering more than it looks like human could suffer. Farmer.

Vol. 16, #20, Thursday Morning, 11 May 1882:

Mrs. Dollie Hart died at her residence in this county on Tuesday 2nd inst., at the advanced age of sixty years.

Mr. Frank T. Dawson and Miss Mamie, daughter of Mr. A. Rinaldi, of Cochran, were married at the residence of the bride's father, in that place on Thursday evening 4th inst., by Rev. H. R. Felder, of Hawkinsville.

Those of our citizens who knew Gus Russell, the barber, were pained to learn of his death here on Thursday night last. He was ill about two weeks, and

died with typhoid dysintery. Gus came from Perry to Hawkinsville about six months ago, recommended by the most prominent white citizens of Perry... A dispatch was received from his father asking that the remains be sent to Perry for burial, and they were conveyed to that place on Friday last.

Items from Laurens and Adjoining Counties: Mrs. Nancy Cooper died at the Alms house last Wednesday...; Mr. Joseph Kersey and Miss Bettie Thomas were married on the eve of the 18th inst., Rev. W. J. Johnson tying the knot...; Mrs. William Baily, of Wilkinson County, died on the 27th ult. She was buried at the Coney family cemetery in this county.

Vol. 16, #21, Thursday Morning, 18 May 1882:

A three year old child of Mr. John Dominy, of Dublin, was fatally burned with hot coffee, on last Friday night. It lived in great pain till Saturday, when death came to its relief.

Mr. Alfred Nelson, usually called "Uncle Alfred," died at his home near Perry, Houston County, on Tuesday evening, 16th inst., aged about seventy-five years. He was the father of Mr. John Nelson, of this county, and of Mayor Nelson, of Brunswick, Ga.

The little two year old daughter of Mr. J. J. Dominy, who was so badly burned with hot coffee last Friday, died of its effects on Saturday night... Dublin Gazette.

Vol. 16, #22, Thursday Morning, 25 May 1882:

Mrs. McLeod, a widow lady living on the old Willis Reeves place, in this county, died on Saturday last aged about sixty years.

Mrs. Susannah Anderson, wife of Marion Anderson, died very suddenly at her home in Telfair County on the night of the 17th inst. She ate a hearty supper and retired as usual. During the night Mr. Anderson heard a struggling noise, as if caused by hard breathing and called to his wife, but she never spoke afterward. Mrs. Anderson was an estimable lady and leaves many friends to mourn her death and to sympathize with her beraved husband and children.

The death of Sheriff Drewry W. Taylor, at his home in Hawkinsville on Tuesday evening, 23d inst., was not unexpected by our citizens. He had been in a low state of health for a long time, and during the past winter he went to Florida and spent several weeks with his son, Dr. Sim W. Taylor, on Lake Jesup in Orange County. But his sojourn in Florida, while it appeared to benefit in some respects, failed to do him any permanent good, and when he returned to Hawkinsville about a month ago his friends felt that the kind-hearted old man had nearly reached life's last mile post. Mr. Taylor was born in Washington County, Ga., August 5th, 1809, and was in his seventy-third year at the time of his death. He moved with his father to Houston County in 1823, and lived in that county until 1870 - about forty-seven years. In the year 1853 he was elected to the legislature from Houston County. He was also Sheriff of that

county for two years. In 1870, Mr. Taylor moved to Pulaski County. In 1975 he was appointed Sheriff of this county to fill the unexpired term of John Burrows. At the close of the term Mr. Taylor was elected as his own successor, and has been reelected at each election since. Last September, realizing the condition of his health, at his request, and influenced by citizens, Capt. Robert S. Anderson was prevailed upon to accept the place of Deputy Sheriff, and since that time, Mr. Taylor has been unable to discharge any of the duties of the office... Mr. Taylor leaves two brother and two sisters and a widow and three sons and a daughter. One of his brothers, Mr. Simeon L. Taylor, lives in Dooly County, and the other one in Arkansaw... He was a deacon in the Baptist Church of this place. The burial will take place this afternoon at five o'clock.

Mrs. Catherine Towns, wife of Rev. Johnson C. Towns, died at her home in Telfair County at six o'clock a.m., on the 15th day of May, 1882, aged sixty-eight years. Mrs. Towns was a member of the Missionary Baptist Church for a period of fifty years. She was ever ready and willing to help those in need about her, and at her burial there was a large attendance of friends who mingled their sorrows with those of the family.

Obituary: Again has death invaded our family circle and taken from us our dear little Lizzie Holt, infant daughter of W. H. and H. Harrell, of Telfair County. She died on Tuesday, May 16th 1882... Her Grandmother.

Vol 14, #22, Thursday Morning, 27 May 1880 (out of sequence):

Mr. J. Pope Brown, one of the most highly esteemed and popular young men of this county, was married in Augusta last week to Miss Miller, a sister of Hon. A. L. Miller, of Houston County. Mr. S. W. Brown, father of the bridegroom, gave a splendid entertainment to a large assembly at his residence in the county on Thursday evening last.

Vol. 16, #23, Thursday Morning, 1 Jun.1882:

Mr. W. T. Arnold, living on the east side of the river, in this county, died last week of consumption.

Mr. Charley J. Bradshaw, from Cedar Keys, Florida, and Mr. P. Robuck, from Suwannee, Fla., returned to Hawkinsville on Tuesday on a visit to relatives and friends...

Vol. 16, #24, Thursday Morning, 8 Jun.1882:

Mr. Henry Overbey, died in Mecklenburg County, Virginia, a few days ago, at the advanced age of seventy-three years. He was the father of Mr. James L. Overbey, of Cochran, Ga.

An Overdose of Laudanum: On Saturday morning last a dispatch from Savannah was received in Hawkinsville by Mr. S. J. Epstein, announcing the sudden death of his brother-in-law, Mr. Herman Neuburger, who was married in this place a

few years ago to a sister of Mrs. Epstein.

Vol. 16, #25, Thursday Morning, 15 Jun.1882:

Eastman, Ga., June 12: Senator John J. Hamilton died of paralysis at his residence in this place last Saturday afternoon at half past five o'clock, and was buried yesterday at the cemetery, many relatives and sorrowing friends attending the funeral and burial ceremonies... He was a good citizen, an affectionate husband, a kind and indullgent father... Mr. Ashley Hamilton, of Florida, is now the only one left of a family of eight brothers, all of whom were influential men in the communities where they lived... J.B.Jr.

Vol. 16, #26, Thursday Morning, 22 Jun.1882:

Horrible Death - Cut to Pieces by a Circular Saw: A subscriber at Dublin writes us that on Monday, the 12 inst., Henry Guest met his death in a most horrible manner at the saw mill of J. F. Fuller, in Laurens County...

Vol. 16, #27, Thursday Morning, 29 Jun.1882:

Died, Sunday morning, the 21st of May in Dooly County, little Alva, two years and five months old, son of J. H. and C. A. Morgan...

Vol. 16, #27, Thursday Morning, 6 Jul.1882 (second #27):

None noted. Contained only one page.

Vol. 16, #28, Thursday Morning, 13 Jul.1882:

Dr. Simson W. Taylor, who returned from Orange County, Florida, a few days ago, will, we learn, again become a citizen of Hawkinsville, and will resume the practice of medicine... He has not yet secured an office, but can be found for the present at the late residence of his father, Sheriff D. W. Taylor...

Major Calvin Leary, formerly of Houston County, dies in Minden, La., in the 72d year of his age. From a letter to Mr. S. W. Brown of this county we learn of the death of his uncle Major Calvin Leary, at Minden, Louisiana, June 22, 1882, in the seventy-second year of his age. Major Leary formerly lived in Houston County, in this state, and notwithstanding he had been a resident of Louisiana for many years, he always felt a keen interest in the affairs of Georgia and the welfare of her people...

Died, in Dooly County, Ga., on the morning of the 1st inst., little Walter, infant son of John T. and Loucretia Graham, aged thirteen months... M.E.R.

Died, on Sunday July 2, 1882, on her 29th birthday, Mrs. Aleph Hammond, and daughter of Mr. Elijah Pickren, of Coffee County. She was married 30th December 1875, and lived happily in the affections of her husband and the love of her friends. She leaves a devoted husband and two children, affectionate parents and many warm friends.

Obituary: Josie Black, second daughter of John and Martha J. Black, after a lingering illness of three weeks, died on the 19th of June, 1882, aged 16 years and 2 days... June 25, 1882.

Vol. 16, #29, Thursday Morning, 20 Jul.1882:

Little Winnie, daughter of J. W. and M. A. Bateman, died at their home on the east side of the river on Tuesday, 11th inst., age 6 years and nine months.

In the obituary notice last week of Mrs. Mary J. Vaughn, wife of Mr. Richard Henry Vaughn, one or two errors occurred, which we regret. She was the daughter of William and Martha McCullers, and was born and reared in Dooly County, near the Pulaski line. She was a consistent member of Blue Spring Baptist Church, near which her husband resides. (From last week. She died on the 21st day of June, 1882, in the 42nd year of her age... She was the sister of Mrs. Thos. Warren of Wilcox... Her husband and children have our heartfelt sympathy.)

Mrs. Hickman, who, with her husband removed from Jasper County, Georgia, to this place in February last, died rather suddenly on Saturday evening last, at their residence near the Baptist Church. She had been in feeble health for several weeks, but was feeling better at noon on Saturday, than for some days past, but grew worse towards the middle of the afternoon and about six o'clock expired, we learn, while her babe was nursing at the breast. Mr. Hickman has been quite unfortunate since he came to Hawkinsville, his wife and some of his children being afflicted nearly the whole time - one child having died about three weeks since. He has the sympathy of our community.

From the Houston Home Journal: On the evening of Tuesday, July 11th, Miss A. B. Holly, aged about 14 years, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Holly, near Tharp's Mill...

Vol. 16, #30, Thursday Morning, 27 Jul.1882:

Mr. Wm. Chancey and Mrs. Emma Newman were married at the residence of Mr. J. J. Daniel on the 23d inst., by Judge H. H. Whitfield. All of Pulaski.

Vol. 16, #31, Thursday Morning, 3 Aug.1882:

Charles Thomas, son of J. M. and Sallie M. Carroll, died at their home in this county, July 25th, aged seven years, and the remains were interred in Orange Hill Cemetery on the following day.

Little Clyde Love, infant daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Tarver, died on Monday morning last, aged one year and two months. The remains were buried at Orange Hill Cemetery at ten o'clock on Tuesday morning. Rev. E. J. Coates, officiating.

Married. "The Lord saw that it was not good for a man to dwell alone." Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob saw the same thing; and the Rev. J. C. Towns, of

Telfair County, reached the same conclusion, so he sought and obtained the hand of Miss Eliza English, of Dodge County, and hastened to lead her to the marriage altar on July 22nd...

Departed this life on the 25th July, 1882, Charlie T. Carroll, at the early age of seven years. Charlie was the only child of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Carroll, and his death was very unexpected as he was in good health up to the day before his departure... Friend.

From the Perry Home Journal: The budding hopes of young manhood have again been withered by a visit from the death angel, and on last Tuesday morning Julius, youngest son of Mr. Edwin Green, passed from earth to eternity. He was taken sick last Saturday and Monday Dr. C. R. Mann was sent for, and the disease pronounced malarial maturia... Julius was about 19 years old, an intelligent, energetic noble youngt man...; Editor Home Journal. Your last issue reported the death of my wife, which was a mistake. It was my mother, Mrs. Margaret E. Thomas, who died very suddenly on the 14th inst., of rheumatism of the heart. My mother was a daughter of Nathan Minshew, one of the first settlers of Houston County. Her father moved from Twiggs County to this county when she was quite small, and she has lived within two miles of her old home ever since. She now sleeps by the side of my father, who died in March 1863. She was buried at the family burying ground, where sleeps her father, mother, husband, sisters, and other kindred. She was a kind mother, as I, her only child, can bear witness. She was 67 years, 8 months and 1 day old. She leaves many relatives and friends who mourn her loss. She is now at rest, awaiting the last trump to summond the dead to meet Christ. L.J. Thomas, York, Ga., 25 Jul.1882.

Vol. 16, #32, Thursday Morning, 10 Aug.1882:

Mrs. Elizabeth Statham, wife of Mr. Nowman (should be Norman) Statham, died at their home in Wilcox County on Monday, August 7, 1882.

Conductor Fred Davis, of the Macon and Brunswick Road and Miss Minnie Henly were married in Atlanta on Sunday last. The bride is a Houston County lady, raised near Hawkinsville, and is a niece of Capt. Tom Henly, of Hawkinsville.

A correspondent of the Macon Telegraph says that Mr. Wm. Veal, a citizen of Twiggs County, lost his wife last week, making the third wife in less than fourteen months. The first died May 11, 1881; the second July 23, 1881, the third July 29, 1882.

Negro Riot at Eastman - And a Murderous Mob of Negroes Brutally Murder an Innocent Young White Man - Seized in a Private Residence, Dragged Out, Shot and Beaten to Death. ...at last they saw Mr. James Harvard, of Pulaski County, a young man about twenty-one years of age, (son of Mr. Quinn L. Harvard, of Cochran)... The body of young Harvard was brought up to Cochran and buried at Laurens Hill by torchlight on Monday night...

Vol. 16, #33, Thursday Morning, 17 Aug.1882:

Little Johnnie, infant son of Mr. A. C. Pipkin, died on Thursday last.

From the Perry Home Journal: The sad intelligence of the death of Mr. M. F. McCarty, of Jones County, but recently of near Perry, was received here Saturday afternoon by telegram to Mr. Edwin Green, step-father of Mrs. McCarty. He had been sick for sometime with typhoid fever, and though his death was not unexpected to his immediate family and relatives, was a shock and surprise to his friends and acquaintances here. Mr. McCarty had, up to the opening of the present year been for several years a citizen of Houston County, and was most highly esteemed for many fine qualities he possessed which go to make up the upright, honorable Christian gentleman. He was a young man, full of promise of a long and useful life, and leaves a young wife, having been married but little more than one year... The deceased was brought to Perry and interred in Evergreen Cemetery Sunday afternoon...; We are pained to record the death of the little four year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hodges, of near Houston Factory... He was interred in the cemetery here Monday afternoon.

From the Savannah Recorder: It is our sad duty to announce this morning the death of Capt. W. W. Paine, from a protracted illness - having been prostrated, we understand, by heart disease and inflammation of the bowels... He was born in Virginia, came to Georgia when quite a young man and practiced law in Telfair County, where he made many friends by his urbanity and genial desposition. He afterwards removed to Savannah, where he married and settled down. Being a public spirited man and of decided talent, his fellow citizens conferred upon him the honor of representing them in the lower house of the Legislature, where his usefulness soon made itself manifest. At the close of the late war he was selected as the most available person to represent this district in the Congress of the United States, where he was conspicuous and of great service to his constituents. He was 65 years of age and leaves a devoted wife and a large number of friends to mourn his departure. His death took place at 10 minutes to 8 o'clock last night and his funeral will take place at St. Johns (Episcopal) Church at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon...

Obituary: Mrs. T. A. Hickman, born near Greenville, South Carolina, September 14, 1848, died at Hawkinsville, Ga., July 15, 1882, leaving a devoted husband and four little children overwhelmed with grief... S.I. Hickman, Aug. 4,1882.

Died, on the 7th of August, 1882, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Statham, wife of Norman Statham, of Wilcox County, in the 33d year of her age, after a painful sickness of nearly two weeks of the most intense suffering... As such her death leaves an aching void in the hearts of all who knew her, an irreparable loss to the community, her church, to her disconsolate husband and seven motherless children who are left to mourn her loss. A friend.

Vol. 16, #34, Thursday Morning, 24 Aug.1882:

Mr. John Wade and Miss Fannie Brown, of this county, were married on Monday

evening, 21st inst., Rev. E. A. Burch, officiating.

Mr. John Casey, formerly engaged in the bar business in Hawkinsville, died in Milledgeville last week.

A friend of the Dispatch writing from Gum Creek (Dooly County) under the date of the 16th inst., says: On Tuesday last Mr. John Shaw a former resident of Hawkinsville and for several years a conductor on the Macon and Brunswick Railroad, was kicked and almost instantly killed by a horse... The horse became entangled in the reins, and Mr. Shaw, while trying to get the horse's feet out, was kicked, and lived only about twenty minutes. The remains were buried at Gum Creek... S.W.C.

On Sunday, the 20th inst., Mr. S. J. Mitchell of Dodge County, was married to Miss Lidia Miller, of Pulaski County. They were married in this county by T. S. Wilcox. Miss Miller being here on a visit at the time. J.B.Jr.

Obituary: Died in Vienna, Dooly County, Ga., on the morning of the 14th of August 1882, of congestion, little Siddie, age one year and nine months, and youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Melton, and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Goode, of Randolph County, Ga.,... Little Siddie was interred in the family burial place, near the Baptist Church in Vienna, by the side of a dear little infant relative who had preceded her only a little more than a year. A large concourse of people followed the remains to the grave, where Mr. R. B. Lane, of the Methodist Church, officiated in a most solemn and impressive manner. A friend, Vienna, Ga., Aug.16,1882.

Died. Miss Sallie Fletcher, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. J. B. Fletcher, departed this life the 10th day of August, 1882, aged 17 years, after a brief illness of typhoid malarial fever. By a friend, Ocilla, Ga., Aug.17,1882.

Vol. 16, #35, Thursday Morning, 31 Aug.1882:

Eastman Riot: Eastman, Aug.24th. Mrs. L. A. Sapp died this morning (29th inst) at half past three o'clock. This is a sad occurrence indeed. But a few months ago the deceased was robed in the happy bridal costume, and now she lies shrouded in the robes of death. J.B.Jr.

Vol. 16, #36, Thursday Morning, 7 Sep.1882:

Little Elizabeth, age eight years, daughter of Mr. W. S. Dixon, of this county died on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. J. W. Bailey, of Americus, and Miss Mattie Smith, of Hawkinsville, were married in this place on Thursday morning, 31st ult., by Rev. H. R. Felder.

Two Men Killed and One Mortally Wounded and Dies From His Injuries: On Friday morning last a terrific explosion startled the citizens about Snow Spring, Dooly County. It proved to be the bursting of the boiler at the saw mill of Ward & Simmons. The fireman was a white man named Joe Lawrence, who

was killed instantly, his clothes being torn from his body...

A postal card from Col. W. J. Williams, of Temperance, under date of August 31st, informs us of the death of Mr. Daniel Campbell, at his home in Dodge County at two o'clock on the morning of the 31st ult. Mr. Campbell was a native of Scotland, and emigrated to America in 1802, he being eight years of age at the time. He was therefore eighty-six years of age. We are not prepared to say how long he had been a citizen of Dodge County, but probably ever since his arrival in America. Seeing Mr. Clark Wilcox in Hawkinsville on Saturday last, we asked him about the deceased. He said he was fifty-nine years of age, and he had known Mr. Campbell as far back as he could remember...

The Eastman Rioters. Eastman, Ga., Sept. 5th... Mr. L. B. Norman, a clerk at the Amoskeag Mills, died of typhoid fever last Thursday night, and his remains were sent to his home in Savannah for interment; A little girl of our townsman, Mr. Mathew Clark, died Sunday night... J.B.Jr.

From the Houston Home Journal: ...After a long and painful illness Mr. John Logan, Sr., quitely passed away at his residence, in the eastern portion of the county, on Friday last...

Vol. 16, #37, Thursday Morning, 14 Sep.1882:

Mr. Daniel McCook, one of Irwin County's best citizens, was killed by lighting on Saturday evening last. He leaves a wife and two children.

Mr. John L. Kinney died at his home on the Gordon place in Dooly County on Monday last. Mr. Kinney formerly resided in Wilkinson and Baldwin Counties, but removed to Dooly soon after the war. He was an Uncle of Mrs. Wm. M. Anderson and Mr. John B. Lewis of Hawkinsville, and enjoyed the confidence of all who knew him. He also lived near Hawkinsville for some years until last year.

We regret to learn this morning of the death of Maj. Joseph M. White, which occurred at his residence in Laurens County, near the Pulaski line on Tuesday night last...

Mrs. Amelia Mitchell died at her home near Macon, Ga., August 31, 1882, leaving three children and many relatives and friends to mourn her death. She suffered greatly from cancer on the face...

Mr. John W. Callahan and Miss Minnie Kinchin, of this place, were married at McRae, Sunday, September 3rd, Rev. J. L. Williams officiating. A.L.R., McVille, Ga., Sept. 11, 1882.

Obituary: Owen Smith, youngest son of Mrs. Ella E. and Frank Smith, died at their home near McVille, Telfair County, September 9, 1882 aged four years, four months and sixteen days... His Uncle C.

Vol. 16, #38, Thursday Morning, 21 Sep.1882:

Major Joseph M. White, who died at his home near Laurens Hill, Laurens County, on the 12th inst., was a native of South Carolina, moving from Sumter District to Georgia about 1846. He was sixty-six years of age, and was a man of large intelligence and energy...

Judge L.P.D. Warren, Judge of the Albany Circuit, died at his home in Albany, Ga., on Sunday September 10, 1882. He was a nephew of the late General Eli Warren, of Houston County and was born in Twiggs County, Ga., in October 1828. In 1846 he was admitted to the practice of law by a special act of the legislature, he not having attained the age required by law for admission to the bar.

McRae, Ga., Sep.16: Mrs. Dr. Swinney, a most excellent lady, died at her home in this place on Wednesday morning, 13th inst. She leaves a husband and four little daughters to mourn her death... Cura.

Vol. 16, #39, Thursday Morning, 28 Sep.1882:

Mr. John Prior, of Laurens County, was shot and killed on Wednesday last by Mr. Archy Hester... The jury of inquest returned a verdict of justifiable homicide.

Mr. Samuel H. Vanzandt, of this county, died on Tuesday evening of last week.

Mr. Joe Burns, of Cochran and Miss Fannie Vaughn, of Twiggs County, were married at the residence of the bride's father on Wednesday last by Rev. M. N. McCall.

Mr. C. K. Ragan and Miss Louise Gibson were united in holy wedlock at the Methodist Church, in Hawkinsville, on Thursday evening last, 21st inst., Rev. H. R. Felder, officiating...

Obituary: It is our sad and painful task to record the death of little Johnnie, aged one year and seven days, and youngest son of Mrs. Mary E. and John W. Allen, which occurred on the 22d inst., near Snow Spring, in Dooly County... A friend.

Vol. 16, #40, Thursday Morning, 5 Oct.1882:

Lewis Edmond, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Pollock, of this county, died on Saturday, 23d ult.

Clarabelle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bagby, aged three years, died on Thursday evening last of congestion.

A letter from Dr. Batts N. Mitchell, written at Oviedo, Orange County, Florida, under the date of the 25th ult., informs us of the death of his youngest son Benjamin S., at eleven o'clock on Saturday night, September 23, 1882 of

consumption. Bennie was born at Hawkinsville on the 11th of September, 1857. He returned to Pulaski a few weeks ago to visit his relatives and friends here, and the sad impression was made upon all that he could not survive long the dread disease that had claimed him.

Vol. 16, #41, Thursday Morning, 12 Oct.1882:

Mrs. Alice Sullivan, wife of W. W. Sullivan, of Dooly County, died on Monday, September 28th, 1882.

Vol. 16, #42, Thursday Morning, 19 Oct.1882:

On Thursday evening last, at the residence of the bride's father, our popular fellow-townsman, Mr. J. M. Burrows and Miss Sallie Hodges were united in holy wedlock, Rev. H. R. Felder, officiating.

In last week's Dispatch the brief announcement was made of Gen. O. C. Horne's critical illness, with the statement that his recovery was doubtful. Within a few hours afterwards he breathed his last. The burial took place on Friday morning, 13th inst., at Orange Grove Cemetery (should be Orange Hill Cemetery as now called). The religious ceremonies were performed at his residence by Rev. E. J. Coates, of the Baptist Church, of which the deceased had long been a consistent member. The remains were escorted to the grave by a long funeral procession, a delegation of the American Legion of Honor acting as pallbearers. At the grave the beautiful funeral rites of the Knights Templar were performed. Fourteen Sir Knights of St. Omer Commandery being present and participating in the ceremonies. Since the war, Gen. Horne has been one of the most public-spirited and enterprising citizens of Hawkinsville. He moved here in 1855, and from that date until his death he was prominently identified with the enterprises and improvement of the town. General Horne was born in Putnam County, Ga., March 3, 1819, and died October 11th 1882, being in his sixty-fourth year at the time of his death. In his boyhood he attended the schools of Twiggs and Jones County. On the 5th of January 1843, he married to Miss Mary A. Lowe, daughter of Hon. Aaron Lowe of Houston County, Ga... The deceased leaves a widow and one son and a daughter - Capt. O. A. Horne of Cuthbert, Ga., and Mrs. Stephen W. Mitchell, of Montgomery, Alabama...

In Memoriam: Johnnie Clements died on the 7th day of October, 1882, at the residence of his father in Telfair County, aged about thirty years... J.H.R., Lumber City, Ga., Oct. 4th,1882.

Obituary: On the 22d of September last, at the home of his mother and aunt, William Ira Parnell departed this life ages sixteen years, one month and twelve days, after a short illness of malarial fever. Willie lived with his mother and aunt near Warwick... H.C.B.

From Dooly Vindicator: Miss Mary Hughes, of near Turkey Creek, Dooly County, died on Friday, 6th inst., of congestive chills. Miss Hughes had been sick one week previous to her death. The funeral took place at the burial grounds near her father's residence; Mrs. Dr. Singleton, of near Gum Creek, died on

Thursday, 5th inst. Her remains were interred on Friday.

Vol. 16, #43, Thursday Morning, 26 Oct.1882:

Mr. Burrell F. Lancaster, of Pulaski, and Miss Margaret B. Stewart were married on the evening of the 15 inst, at the residence of the bride's father (Mr. Charles Stewart) in Telfair County, Rev. J. L. Williams officiating.

Many neighbors, relatives and friends assembled at the home of Mr. W. D. Mitchell, on Sunday last, to witness the marriage of his daughter, Miss Mary, and Mr. Mathew McKinney. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Thomas J. Adams...

In Memoriam: Sammie H. Vanzandt departed this life September 18, 1882, after an illness of a few days. He died of malarial hemorragic fever, aged about twenty-five days... Lonnie (Leonidas), his brother, was stricken down and died of the same fever, which was on October 17th... He was twenty-one years, six months and one day old... Peace be with their remains now resting at Mount Pleasant Church. J.L.T.

Vol. 16, #44, Thursday Morning, 2 Nov.1882:

Mr. Thomas King, a well known citizen and farmer of this county, died last night about nine o'clock at his home six miles below Hawkinsville. The burial will take place tomorrow (Thursday) morning at ten o'clock at Antioch.

Mr. S. F. Price, of Albany, Ga., and Miss M. C. Adams, daughter of Rev. Thomas J. Adams, were married at the residence of the bride's father in this county on Tuesday morning last, 31st ult., Rev. E. J. Coates, officiating.

Vol. 16, #45, Thursday Morning, 9 Nov.1882:

Mr. John J. Ragan, of Mitchell County, and Miss Mary Landfair, of Pulaski, were married at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. A. H. Landfair, at Cochran, on the morning of the 6th inst., by Frank B. Green, Esq.

Vol. 16, #46, Thursday Morning, 16 Nov.1882:

From Dublin Gazette of last week: An account of the death of Bryant Gay, a prominent citizen of Laurens County. The death of this gentleman occurred at his home in this county last Saturday, after an illness of several months... The deceased was interred in the family burying ground with Masonic honors... He leaves a large family to mourn his loss, and a host of friends.

Vol. 16, #47, Thursday Morning, 23 Nov.1882:

Mr. James A. Barron and Miss Mary McKinney, of this county, were married on the 19th inst., by Rev. T. J. Adams.

Mr. J. F. Mashburn, of this place, and Miss Mary L. Wilcox were married at the residence of Mr. John Ewing, in Telfair County, on Tuesday, 14th inst.

Little James, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. McCall, of Wilcox County, died on the 25th October, 1882, age four years and seven months. Little Jimmie was a bright and lively little boy, the pride of his parents, and his loss is a grevous affliction.

Mr. Allen Cadwell, of Dodge County, attended the circus at Eastman on Thursday last, and that night went back to Chauncey on the passenger train. As he was getting off the train he fell beneath it, and the cars ran over him, mangling his body fearfully, and causing almost instant death.

From the Perry Home Journal: Mr. H. C. Cooner and Miss Iren C. Staley, two well known parties in Houston County were married (in a buggy) at the residence of Rev. B. H. Sasnett, pastor of the Methodist Church. There was another couple (who had the required license) but the young lady declined...

From the Irwinton Southerner: A little son of Col. Thos. F. Fountain, near Toombsboro, died on Tuesday last, and was buried at Poplar Springs on Friday...

With deep regret we announce the sad and untimely death of Johnnie, the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. William Etheridge, of this county. Deceased had been living in Dodge County, and having been stricken down with fever, he came back to the old home, where after a lingering illness, he breathed his last on Sunday...

Vol. 16, #48, Thursday Morning, 30 Nov.1882:

Obituary: Died at her home at Temperance, Telfair County, October 6th 1882, after a severe and protracted illness, and after all that medical skill could devise, and the kindness and assiduous attention of relatives and friends was exhausted, Mrs. Rebecca Williams, wife of Col. W. J. Williams, in the 35th year of her age. Mrs. Williams was married November 30th, 1881, and was united with the M.E. Church in 1870... A friend.

Died, at the residence of P. H. Browning, in Telfair County, on the 23d of November, 1882, of malarial typhoid fever, Rawlin H., only child of P. H. and Sarah E. Browning, aged five years, one month and one day...

George Bascombe, son of George F. and Laura P. Swearinger, died at their home, four miles northwest of Vienna, in Dooly County, on the 16th day of November, 1882, aged 8 years and 10 months. Little Bascombe had been in declining health for more than two years...

Marriages from the Montezuma Weekly, 22d inst: On Sunday last, at the residence of Mr. J. W. McKenzie, in this place, Mr. P. A. Roebuck, of Pulaski County, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Mrs. C. V. Lilly, Rev. W. M. Hayes performing the ceremony in his happiest style. After congratulation

the bridal party took buggie and went to Vienna, where they were royally entertained at the residence of Judge J. E. Lilly; At the home of Dr. Trippe, near Drayton, on Wednesday, November 15th, Mr. Anderson of South Carolina, to Miss Ella Trippe, one of the most beautiful and accomplished young ladies in our sister county. They boarded the train at Americus for South Carolina, their future home.

Mr. Malichia Jones and wife, of this county, who went to South Carolina a few weeks ago on a visit to their old home in Williamsburg, have returned...

Tribute of Respect: By the Pulaski Bar upon the death of General Orran C. Horne. (Compiler's Note: Contained same information found in Vol. 16, #46, except following.) He in company with Mr. P. F. D. Scarborough, in the year 1859, commenced the publication of the Pulaski Times, the first newspaper - worthy to be called such - which was ever published in Hawkinsville. He was a Mason... E. A. Burch, Clerk, Nov. 24, 1882.

Vol. 16, #49, Thursday Morning, 7 Dec.1882:

Mr. John L. Harrell, of Twiggs County, and Miss Lula Perry, of Hawkinsville, were married at the residence of Mr. J. D. Stetson, on Pine Level, on the 5th inst., by Rev. H. R. Felder.

Mr. John J. Gregory, of Wilcox, and Miss Ella Braswell, of Pulaski, were married on the third inst., at the residence of the bride's mother, by R. E. Reynolds, N.P. and ex-officio Justice of the Peace.

Died, at the home of his parents, in Telfair County, on 2d of December, 1882, of typhoid malarial fever, William Augustus, only son of Mr. J. A. and Mrs. Elizabeth Buchanan, aged fourteen years... Father, mother and two sisters and many relatives and friends mourn his death.

Obituary: Little Rawlin Hughes Browning, born October 22, 1877, died of malarial fever at the home of his parents in Telfair County, November 23d, 1882, after an illness of six days...

Our citizens deeply sympathize with Mr. I. F. Collins in the death of his oldest son, Jacob, aged about fifteen years, whose death occurred on Monday evening last under peculiar circumstances. A falling slump (?), crushed him, and he died a few hours afterwards... (Compiler's Note: See Bible Records Iverson F. Collins, page 197.)

From Berrien County News: We are sorry to learn that a little child of Mrs. John McMillan of Irwin, was killed this week by getting tangled in the gin gear. It lived four hours and forty minutes after the accident, the particulars of which we could not learn...

Vol. 16, #50, Thursday Morning, 14 Dec.1882:

Mr. P. Joe Hodge, a young lawyer, formerly of Hawkinsville, died at Eureka

Springs, Ark., on Wednesday night last, Dec. 6th. His brothers, R. M. & M. T. Hodge, of this place, received a telegram announcing his critical illness and Mr. M. T. Hodge left Hawkinsville at once for Arkansas... His remains were placed in a coffin and kept until the arrival of his brother. On Monday last a dispatch was received from M. T. Hodge, who was then at St. Louis, on his way home with the body.

Died, at her home in Dooly County on the 25th of November, 1882, Lucy J., daughter of James M. A. and Elizabeth Whitehead, in the twenty-third year of her age... Hawkinsville News and Dooly Vindicator please copy. M.O.W.

From the Montezuma Weekly: Mr. Shade Morgan, one of the best young men of Drayton, was married to Miss Hooks, of Sumter County, on Thursday night last.

Vol. 16, #51, Thursday Morning, 21 Dec.1882:

This issue missing.

Vol. 16, #52, Thursday Morning, 28 Dec.1882:

Married, at the residence of Mrs. S. N. Boatright, in Dooly County, on the evening of December 24, 1882, by Reuben E. Reynolds, N.P., Mr. James F. Faircloth, of Wilcox to Miss Ella Tippett.

Little Wesley, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Newman, died of hemorragic fever on the 5th of this month. "Whirley," as he was called, was about 4 years old... His uncle J.W.C., December 1882.

Vol. 17, #1, Thursday Morning, 4 Jan.1883:

From the Houston Home Journal: Dr. J. B. Edge and Miss Annie S. King were married at the residence of the bride's father, Capt. F. M. King, on Thursday, Dec. 21st. Rev. B. H. Sasnett officiating. The groom, formerly of Jones County, is now a promising young physician of Houston... The bride is, by her father's side, a descendant of Gen. Francis Marion, and is one of Perry's most beautiful and accomplished young ladies...

Married, at the residence of the bride's father (W. L. Gunn) in the Third District of Dooly County, on the 28th December 1882, by M. Etheridge, Esq., Mr. W. J. Mayo to Miss Albena Gunn...

Mr. P. T. McGriff, Jr., has moved with his family to Suwannee County, Florida, and will engage in the mill business on the S.F.PW. Railway. Mrs. Tippett, mother of Mrs. McGriff, accompanied them to Florida... (Compiler's Note: Mrs. Tippett was Mrs. Abner L. Tippett.)

Mr. L. H. Cone and Miss A. E. Paul were married at the residence of D. W. Harvard, in Dooly County, on the morning of December 28th, 1882, by J. M. V. Williams, Esq...

Vol. 17, #2, Thursday Morning, 11 Jan.1883:

This issue missing.

Vol. 17, #3, Thursday Morning, 18 Jan.1883:

Dr. S. T. Heard, living in the Fourteenth District of Dooly County, died at his home near Pateville, on Sunday night, January 7, 1883, and was buried on the following Tuesday at Zion Hope Church. Mr. John S. Pate, from whom we get the information states that Dr. Heard had been a practicing physician in that section ever since his recollection. He was a member of Methodist Church, and was sixty-five years of age.

Obituary: Stephen B., son of J. H. and Carrie M. Woodward, was born in Bibb County, Ga., October 15, 1862, and died of consumption at the residence of his father in Dooly County, Ga., November 27, 1882... The writer, his fond stepmother, never witnessed a more triumphant, a more calm and peacful death, a brighter evidence of a blessed immortality... At his request he is buried near the family residence, where he sleeps serenely in the silent tomb, in his new made grave, in full view of his afflected father and family, who deeply mourn his untimely loss... His affectionate stepmother, N. B. Woodward.

Vol. 17, #4, Thursday Morning, 25 Jan.1883:

Mrs. Penny, wife of Mr. Z. T. Penny, who was recently elected clerk of the superior court of Dooly County, died at her home at Vienna a few days ago, after a long illness.

Married, at the residence of Mrs. O. W. Massey, in Bibb County, on the evening of the 23d inst., by Rev. E. W. Warren, Mr. J. M. Brown, of Pulaski, to Miss Jennie Gantt. Mr. Brown and his wife arrived in Hawkinsville to-day (Wednesday) and took dinner at the Pulaski House.

Obituary: George Roberson Reid, Jr., died at his home in Wilcox County, January 3, 1883, at 7 o'clock, very suddenly of apoplexy ... only 27 years old, being born November 15, 1855, in Wilcox County, within one mile of his late home. His father, Drury Reid, is now living, but his mother, Sibbie Reid, died several years ago... He was married May 15, 1879, to Miss Fannie Elenor Fuller, who with two bright, pretty children are left without a father's love and care. D. F. McCrimmon, M.D.

James S. Barfield, Tribute from Board of Trustees of Snow Spring High School. (Compiler's Note: His death but no dates. See Obituary Vol. 17, #8.)

Vol. 17, #5, Thursday Morning, 1 Feb.1883:

Rev. F. C. Waite, of Hawkinsville, and Miss Lizzie McCall, of Cochran, were married at the residence of Mr. B. B. Dykes, at Cochran, on the 25th January, 1883, by Rev. M. N. McCall. Mr. Waite has disposed of his business here, and has moved to Atlanta.

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Vol. 17, #6, Thursday Morning, 8 Feb.1883:

Lewis Simmons, aged over seventy years, died at his home in Wilcox County, a few days ago.

Mr. Nathan Christmas, an old citizen of Dooly County, died very suddenly at his home near Vienna on Tuesday, 6th inst., of heart disease.

Capt. J. H. Martin, of Hawkinsville, was married to Miss A. S. Curry, of Decatur County, on the 21st uld.

Mr. Frank Etheridge left Hawkinsville this morning for Twiggs County. If his object was accomplished he was married at half past eleven to-day to Miss Mattie Slappey.

Alexander McArthur, an old citizen living in Montgomery County, within two miles of McVille, Ga., was found on the road leading from his residence to McVille on February 3, 1883, with life nearly extinct, supposed to have been caused from a fall or kick from his horse. He expired in a few minutes after he was conveyed home.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, on Thursday evening, February 1st, by D. L. Ridley, Esq., Mr. Sumter Stokes to Miss Georgia Ann Owen, daughter of Tapley B. Owen. Also at the residence of the same, on Sunday morning, February 4th, by R. E. Reynolds, Esq., Mr. Henry Jackson to Miss Amanda Owen, dauthter of T. B. Owen.

Mr. William Dudley Mitchell died on his farm on Cedar Creek, in this county, on Tuesday night, February 5th, 1883, after an illness of several weeks... He had been a citizen of the county for forty years, having moved here when a small boy... He leaves a widow and several children, also a brother and three sisters.

Died, at the residence of Alexander McDuffie, in Telfair County, Ga., on February 3, 1883, after an illness of four years, Mrs. Penelope McDuffie, wife of Alexander McDuffie, aged fifty years, one month and twenty five days.

Notes from Bowen's Mill by Fred: Mrs. Sarah Gill, an aged lady of Irwin County, died last week after a painful illness of cancer.

Married, in Eastman, Ga., on January 31st, 1883, at the residence of J. P. Johnson, Esq., brother-in-law of the bride, Mr. John D. Hamilton, of Eastman and Miss Fannie Edwards, of Warren County, Ga.

Obituary: The 18th day of January, 1883, closed the earthly existence of Thomas L. Horne, who was the son of Richard Horne, originally of Wilkinson County, Ga. Mr. T. L. Horne was born in Irwin County, and after being reared to the period of manhood, he married a daughter of A. R. Chandler, and his wife living but a short time, died and left him one little daughter, who is now quite grown. Shortly after the death of his wife he again married a daughter

of Jas. T. Branch, who together with four little children and a large circle of relatives and friends live to mourn their loss... Mr. Horne died of consumption at the age of 33 years... A friend.

From the Houston Home Journal: Mrs. Eliza McGehee, widow of Dr. Edmund J. McGehee, deceased, died suddenly at the residence of her mother, Mrs. Ann Felder, yesterday morning, while sitting at breakfast ... she was stricken with apoplexy and expired. She was between 55 and 60 years of age. Her surviving children are: W. F. McGehee, E. J. McGehee, Mrs. G. B. Plant, Mrs. Anna C. Felder and Mrs. W. C. Winslow. She was the sister of Calvin W. Felder, of Americus and Mrs. McDonald Felder, of Henderson...

Vol. 17, #7, Thursday Morning, 5 Feb.1883:

Mr. T. C. Mann and Miss Mollie Brown of Wilcox were married on the 8th inst., by Rev. O. D. Mulkey.

Mr. F. M. Etheridge, of Hawkinsville, and Miss Mattie Slappy, of Twiggs County, were married at the home of the bride on the 7th inst. Rev. E. J. Coates, officiating.

Married, at the residence of Mr. I. T. Stephens, father of the bride, on the evening of the 12th inst., by Wm. L. Trammell, Esq., Mr. N. J. Trammell to Miss Sallie F. Stephens, all of Pulaski.

Many friends were pained to hear of the death of Mrs. Sallie Powell on Tuesday morning 13th inst. She was a daughter of Mr. John H. Fenn, of Dooly, and but a little over a year ago she was married to Mr. Willie E. Powell, of the Hawkinsville Bank and Trust Co. Her remains were taken to Dooly for interment.

Married, by Rev. Geo. C. Clarke, February 11th, at the residence of Mr. C. C. Goff, in Cochran, Mr. J. L. Jenkins, of Albany and Miss Ella V. Waldriep, of Cochran.

A little boy, aged about four years, of Mr. James Atkinson, who lives about two miles from Eastman, was accidently burned to death last week ... the little fellow breathed his last after about twelve hours of intense suffering. Eastman Times.

Died, at her home in Telfair County, on the 3rd inst., Mrs. Penelope, wife of Judge Alexander McDuffie, in the 52d year of her age... She was born in Telfair County, Ga., December 9, 1832. In December 1850, she joined the M.E. Church, and was a consistent member till the day of her death. She often spoke of her desire to depart and join in heaven her little daughter who died thirteen years ago. She was a fond wife and devoted mother, and leaves a husband and one son and ten daughters together with other relatives... A friend.

Vol. 17, #8, Thursday Morning, 22 Feb.1883:

Mrs. Sallie Coody, wife of Mr. Brince Coody, died at her home in Pulaski County on the 20th of February, 1883, aged forty-two years.

Mr. Rueben Rozar, a well known painter, died at Chancey, Dodge County, on Friday, February 9, 1883, and was buried at Cochran on the 11th inst.

The Eastman Times of last week announces the death of Mr. C. E. Boatright, in New Mexico, on the first of January. He was brother-in-law of L. A. Hall, Esq., of Eastman.

A letter from Mr. T. J. Belcher to his uncle, Joe Mullis, of Dodge County, informs him of the death of Mrs. Belcher at Rock Falls, Erath County, Texas, on the 14th of January 1883, after a long illness, and leaving seven small children.

In Memoriam: James Septimus Barfield, son of Richard and Epsey Barfield, was born in Bibb County, Ga., on the 10th of September, 1851, and died at his brother's, near Snow Spring, Ga., on the 3d of January, 1883... During his college life he united with the First Baptist Church in Macon, Ga... W. Lane.

Vol. 17, #9, Thursday Morning, 1 Mar.1883:

Mrs. Nancy Thigpen died at the home of her son, Dr. J. L. Thigpen, in Wilcox County, on the 22d of February, 1883, after a lingering illness, in the seventy-seven year of her age.

Hon. Samuel Mayer, the mayor of Cochran, was married in Hawkinsville on Sunday last to Miss Alice Waterman, daughter of Henry Waterman. Mr. Mayer is one of the most genial and liberal-hearted Israelites in the State, and is very popular with all who enjoy his friendship and confidence. His bride is a young lady born and reared in Hawkinsville, and her personal charms have won for her many admirers.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, in Wilcox County, on the morning of the 25th February, 1883, by Benjamin Blassingame, Esq., Mr. Norman Statham to Miss Sallie McCall, daughter of Buckner McCall.

Married, at the residence of Rev. Redding Pope, by J. H. Dickerson, Esq., on the 27th February, 1883, Mr. R. H. Vaughn, of Pulaski, to Miss Matilda Pope.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, on the 25th February 1883, by J. H. Dickerson, Esq., Mr. N. C. Conner, of Wilcox, to Miss Ella Vaughn, daughter of Mr. R. H. Vaughn, of Pulaski.

Died, at McRae, Ga., on the 3rd of February 1883, Mrs. Penelope McDuffie, wife of Alexander McDuffie, aged fifty years, one month and twenty-five days....

Vol. 17, #10, Thursday Morning, 8 Mar.1883:

Mr. W. H. Frazier and Miss Zillah Coombs were married on the 28th February at the residence of the bride's mother in Cochran. Rev. Geo. C. Clarke, of Hawkinsville, officiating.

On Wednesday last, February 28th, Dr. John W. Tucker, of Chauncey, Dodge County, was killed by Mr. Payton Etheridge... Dr. Tucker was formerly a citizen of Pulaski County, and read medicine in the office of Dr. T. F. Walker. The remains were buried at Chauncey.

The Savannah Times gives the following account of the death of Mr. James W. Lathrop in that city last week: At an early hour this morning, surrounded by friends and a loving tender mother, Mr. James W. Lathrop, (Jr.) breathed his last. Mr. Lathrop was the son of James W. Lathrop, who was well known in this city and State as a prominent and honored merchant. He was born in Hawkinsville, Ga., on the 7th of March 1849, and lacked four days of being thirty-four years of age... Mr. Lathrop was a grandson of the late General Eli Warren, of this state, and a nephew and co-partner of Col. J. L. Warren. He leaves a widowed mother and sister to mourn his loss.

From the Houston Home Journal: The usual serenity of our town was slightly ruffled last Monday morning, and many tongues were set in motion, when it became known that a marriage ceremony had been performed in front of the Methodist parsonage in Perry... Rev. J. M. Marshall performed the marriage ceremony and declared Mr. Louis A. Avant and Miss Willie Pierce man and wife, the only witness being Miss Mattie Avant, sister of the groom. The groom is a young merchant of Perry, who came here from Macon about nine months ago, and a nephew of Mr. B. F. Avant. The bride is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Pierce, who live near Perry.

Vol. 17, #11, Thursday Morning, 15 Mar.1883:

Mr. Jas. D. Atkinson, of this county, aged twenty-six years, died at his home on Saturday, 3d inst.

On Tuesday evening last, 6th inst., Mr. Charlie Mullis, of Cochran, and Miss Sallie Howington, of Twiggs County, were united in wedlock by Mr. Frank Reid, Esq.

Married, on Sunday evening last, at the residence of the bride's father, in this county, by D. L. Ridley, Esq., Mr. John L. Mitchell and Miss Lorena Brown.

Pulaski County has lost a good citizen and a successful farmer in the death of Mr. William S. Dixon, who died on Saturday last of a ghastly wound inflicted by his own gun on Friday morning... Mr. Dixon leaves a widow and five small children. Judge P. T. McGriff, whose plantation Mr. Dixon was running, speaks of him as an excellent and worthy citizen and most successful farmer... The remains were interred in the Pipkin Cemetery near his home on Sunday evening last, in presence of four or five hundred people.

From the Houston Home Journal: Mr. Norman West, of Dooly County, was married on the 22nd ult., to Miss Lou Grier, of Houston...

Obituary: Mrs. Penelope McDuffie was the daughter of John and Sarah Pickren, was born in Telfair County, Ga., December 9th 1832; was married on the 26th of November 1850, joined the Methodist Episcopal Church on the 4th Sabbath in December 1850 and departed this life and joined the church in Heaven on February 3d, 1883... Uncle Jimmy.

Vol. 17, #12, Thursday Morning, 22 Mar.1883:

The funeral of the late W. D. Mitchell will be preached at Antioch Church, Pulaski County, on the first Sunday in April, 1883, by Rev. Reuben Bullington, of Dooly County. The deceased was a member of Millwood Lodge No. 198 F.& A.M., and the burial rites of this order will be performed at the grave at Antioch, also on the first Sunday in April.

Miss Martha Graddy died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Nancy A. Darcey, near Byromville, Dooly County, Ga., on the 5th day of March, 1883, aged about fifty years...

Mr. Richmond A. Bedgood, who came in to see us yesterday, informed us of a sad accident that took place near Arabi postoffice, Dooly County, last week. Mr. Samuel Owens was on his farm burning fallen logs and trash, and his eleven year old daughter, Eva was also in the field, but some distance from her father. Her clothing took fire, and before it was extinguished or her father could reach her she was horribly burned, and died next day...

The widow of Col. Thomas H. Dawson, the well known lawyer, died at Eastman, Ga., on the 12th inst.

Vol. 17, #13, Thursday Morning, 29 Mar.1883:

Mr. George W. Young and Miss Ret Vinson, of Wilcox County, were married on the 25th inst.

Mr. James Hogan, of Wilcox, and Miss Jane Mann, of Irwin, were married on Thursday, 22d inst.

From Dooly Vindicator, 20th inst: Mr. Norcum West, of Dooly, was married a few days ago to Miss Mollie Greer, of Houston County. The marriage took place at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. W. H. Greer. Maj. E. H. Ezell of Henderson uttered the words that made the couple happy.

Vol. 17, #14, Thursday Morning, 5 Apr.1883:

Mr. R. R. Anderson, a young man of much promise, died very suddenly of heart disease on Thursday night, March 29th, at his home three miles west of Hawkinsville... He had been married but a year or two, and leaves a young wife and one child. He was a member of the Hawkinsville Chapter of the Ancient

Order of United Workmen, a lodge recently established in this place, and the remains were brought to Hawkinsville on Friday morning and interred in Orange Hill Cemetery by the members of that organization.

A Terrible Death: A little girl bitten by a mad dog lives forty days and dies in the greatest agony. On Friday night last closed the terrible suffering of the little seven year old daughter of Mrs. Hill, who resides in the Sixth District of Dooly County, near the Pulaski line... She immediately sent for her brother, Mr. John Hoggsett, who came at once.

We regret to announce the death of Miss Estelle Gatewood, an amiable and lively young lady just blooming into womanhood, which sad event took place on Wednesday evening last at the residence of her mother in this place, after an illness of three days of congestion of the brain. She was a daughter of Mrs. Susan Gatewood, a widow lady who recently moved to Hawkinsville from Albany... The remains were interred in Orange Hill Cemetery on Friday morning, and the funeral services were conducted by Rev. C. C. Leman.

Notes From Ocilla by Fred: Mrs. Abram Myers, an aged lady, living near Dorminey's Mill, died on Thursday last of typhoid pneumonia...

From Dooly Vindicator, 27th ult: Mr. J. W. Matthews of the second district had been suffering for several weeks with pneumonia, and yesterday morning was relieved of his pains by the messenger of death. He was 24 years of age. He leaves a wife and one child. His remains will be interred tomorrow.

Vol. 17, #15, Thursday Morning, 12 Apr.1883:

Mr. G. P. Stubbs and Miss Ada Brown, of Cochran, were married on Sunday evening last, Rev. W. S. Ramsy officiating.

On Thursday, 5th inst., Mr. Columbus C. Atkinson and Miss Sallie Denson, of this county, were united in marriage, Rev. John Ross officiating.

Mr. T. B. Dennis, a former citizen of this county, but for the last few years residing near Butler, Taylor County, Georgia, has moved to Texas, and has located in Fannin County...

Miss Lillie Wall, of Irwin County, was dangerously ill for several days, and the doctors quitely informed her father, Jasper Wall, that his daughter could not possibly live. Going to her bedside and viewing her sadly, that father said: "My darling child you are obliged to die, but I only hope that I may die first." Shortly after he went into convulsions and was soon dead, followed three hours later by the death of his daughter. Coffee County Gazette.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father in Worth County, on Wednesday, March 21st 1883, Mr. Nixon Horne to Miss Mattie A. Overstreet, J. W. Overstreet, Esq., officiating... G.W.F.

Tribute of Respect from Hall of Lawson Lodge, No. 27, A.O.U.W., April 5, 1883: Robert R. Anderson, who departed this life March 29th 1883, in the 26th year of his age...

Vol. 17, #16, Thursday Morning, 19 Apr.1883:

Mr. J. W. Bazemore and Miss Mollie E. Brown, of Dodge County, were married on the 5th inst.

From Houston Home Journal: At half-past one o'clock yesterday afternoon, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. George Paul, in Perry, Mr. W. M. Booth, of Murfreesboro, Tenn., was married to Miss Emma Paul, Rev. G. T. Chandly officiating.

Vol. 17, #17, Thursday Morning, 26 Apr.1883:

Mrs. Mariah Watkins, wife of Mr. John J. Watkins, died at her home five miles west of Hawkinsville on the 18th of April, 1883, aged about thirty-eight years, leaving a husband and seven children. The burial took place in the cemetery in Hawkinsville on the afternoon of the 19th inst.

Mr. Seaborn Holton died of typhoid fever at his home near Camilla, Mitchell County, Ga., on the 24th day of March 1883, in the sixty-eight year of his age. The deceased was a brother of Rev. Robert O. Holton, of Pulaski, and was born in Houston County. He moved many years ago to Stewart County, Ga., and thence to Mitchell County, near Camilla, where he lived until his death.

A Special to the Telegraph & Messenger from Chauncey, dated April 24th says: A most horrible murder was committed at the mill of J. M. Few, seven miles below here. On Sunday morning the watchman at the mill, a German, named Hagg, remonstrated with a negro fellow for tampering with his tools. The negro had in his hands at that time a large screw plate, with which he struck Hagg over the head several times. Hagg died from the effects of his injuries at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The murderer escaped.

Notes From Ocilla by Fred: Mrs. James Bishop, died very suddenly of apoplexy at 9 o'clock on Thursday night of last week. Mrs. Bishop was a kind mother and affectionate wife. She leaves a husband and two children, one an infant fifteen days old. The remains were interred at the family burying ground of Mr. Jas. Paulk, Sr., and were followed by a large concourse of relatives and friends.

Dodge County Items: Mr. Archic Mims, an old and highly respected citizen of Telfare County, died on the 7th inst. He was 60 or 65 years of age...; We learn through Rev. R. D. Gentry, of McRae, of the death of a young lady of Telfair County. A Miss. Powell, while walking in the woods, where the grass was on fire, was enveloped in the flames, and so badly burned that she died therefrom on the 7th inst. She survived but a few days...

From the Houston Home Journal: On last Friday, Mrs. Mollie E. Shine died at the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Barker, about three miles northwest of Perry; At his residence near Spoonville, Mr. J. O. A. Houser died last Sunday morning. The immediate cause of his death was heart disease, although for several years past he has suffered almost constantly from a chronic disease of the liver. Mr. Houser was born in Orangeburg District, South Carolina, moving to Houston County, Georgia, in 1859, and was about 53 years old when he died. He had been a consistent member of the Methodist Church for 33 years, and was held in high esteem by all who knew him. He leaves a wife and five children, the youngest about 15 years old and a large number of relatives to mourn the death of a good man. He was buried at Evergreen Cemetery, Perry, Monday at 12 noon, and a large number of citizens from near his home and of Perry and vicinity, attended his burial.

Vol. 17, #18, Thursday Morning, 3 May 1883:

Mrs. Emma Felder, the widow of E. D. Felder, died suddenly at Snow Spring on the morning of April 25th.

Married, at the residence of Capt. A. W. Weaver, father of the bride, in Cochran, on Wednesday, April 25th, by Rev. E. J. Coates, Mr. Thos. J. Bush and Mrs. Ella W. Wade. All of Pulaski.

Rev. Robert E. Mills, a minister of the Missionary Baptist Church died at his home in this county last week, aged about sixty years. The remains were buried at Rehoboth Church.

On Tuesday afternoon last, in the presence of the Mayor and Marshal and a few citizens, the remains of James Phillips were buried in the cemetery here... He became a habitual consumer of morphine and opium, and, as is almost always the case, he was never able to recover.

Vol. 17, #19, Thursday Morning, 10 May 1883:

The funeral of Rollie Browning, deceased, son of P. H. Browning, of Telfair County, will be preached at Trinity Church on the 20th of May.

Mr. Z. T. Penny, clerk of the superior court of Dooly County, and Miss Mollie Dennis, of Drayton, were married on the 29th ult., at the residence of the bride's stepfather, Mr. John A. Hollon.

The many friends and acquaintances of Mr. J. W. Carruthers will be pained to hear that he has been tried by a jury on a writ of lunacy, and that the jury and physcians have decided that his mental condition is such as to justify his removal to the Insane Asylum near Milledgeville. Everybody knows Wash Carruthers, as he is familiarly called. He is one of the oldest citizens of Pulaski County, being now in his seventy-sixth year. He was born in North Carolina, and came to this county in 1818, his father settling the place now owned by Mrs. Henderson...

Notes from Snow Spring, Ga., May 3, 1883: On the 25th ult., Mrs. Emma Felder, widow of Mr. E. D. Felder, departed this life, aged about 27 years... She leaves two small children - Idus and Sadie; Mr. Henry Daniels died on last Sabbath, 29th of April, of pneumonia... He leaves a wife and children to mourn his loss; Mrs. ____Jones, lost an infant last Saturday, aged about 1 year. It died of consumption; and Mr. and Mrs. George Cook lost an infant on last Monday evening, aged eight months. It had never been well.

Items From Eastman Times: Married at Longview, on Thursday, April 26, at the residence of Mr. C. B. Paker, Mr. G. B. Andrews and Miss Mary E. Dougherty. Rev. P. A. Jessup, officiating; Mrs. Ira J. Kemp, of McVille died at her home in that place, on Tuesday of last week, after a short illness of typhoid pneumonia, and was buried at Sand Hill Cemetery on the following Thursday; and Judge C. W. Rollins, of Spring Hill, Montgomery County, died of dropsy at his home, on Wednesday evening, April 25th 1883, after an illness of about nine months. He was 55 years of age, and leaves a wife and three children to mourn their loss. He was a first cousin of Hon. N. Rawlins of Dooly County.

Died at McRae, Ga., on the 29th of March 1883, little Luella V. Wood, daughter of J. W. and F. M. Wood, aged twelve years and one month.

In Memoriam: William Archey Mims was born in Telfair County, Ga., on February 20, 1818, and died April 3, 1883, with heart dropsy... He leaves a wife and five children to mourn their loss...

Vol. 17, #20, Thursday Morning, 17 May 1883:

Dooly County Items From the Vindicator: Our friend, Mr. Marcus Cooper, formerly a resident of Perry, died at his home at Fort Dade, Fla., a few days ago. He had been married just one month...

Mrs. Watson, mother of Mr. J. Pope Watson, of Hawkinsville, died at her home in Crawford County, last week at the advanced age of seventy years.

Mr. Murdock J. Simmons died at his home in Pulaski County on Monday morning last, aged about fifty-three years. Mr. Simmons was born in this county, and at the time of his death was living upon the farm he was born upon. He was a good farmer and a good citizen. During the war he served as a member of Capt. R. W. Anderson's battery, and the Captain speaks of him as a faithful soldier.

The Dooly Vindicator of last week announces the death, on the 4th of May 1883, of Mr. Bernard Elliott Whitehead, aged seventy-seven years. He died at his home four miles from Vienna, and was buried at the family cemetery of his brother, Mr. James A. Whitehead... He leaves a widow and four daughters, one of them the wife of Mr. James F. McDonald, of this county.

Mr. M. Isaac, died at the residence of Mr. M. Waterman on Friday evening last. He was thirty seven years of age, and leaves no family or relatives in America. He came from West Prussia, and had been merchandising in

Hawkinsville for several years. He died of consumption.

Monroe Williams, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Williams, of Dooly County, died in Vanzandt County, Texas, a few weeks ago. He moved to Texas six years ago, and leaves a widow and one child.

Vol. 17, #21, Thursday Morning, 24 May 1883:

None noted.

Vol. 17, #22, Thursday Morning, 31 May 1883:

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Sandlin lost their six months old son by death on Friday night last.

William Dillard, an old citizen of Macon, died on Sunday last, aged sixty-five years. He was a brother-in-law of Capt. Wm. Taylor, of Hawkinsville.

Capt. James R. Coley died at Cochran on Tuesday, May 29, 1883, aged about forty-five years. He was a brother of the late Capt. G. R. Coley, and of Messrs. John A. D. Coley, of Cochran, and A. Coley, of Coley's Station. The burial took place to-day (Wednesday) at twelve o'clock at the Taylor burial ground five miles from Hawkinsville, and the ceremonies were performed by the Masonic lodges of Cochran and Hawkinsville. The grave was made by the side of that of his wife who died a few years ago. The deceased leaves three little boys. During the late war Capt. Coley commanded a company in the 10th Confederate regiment and in one of the engagements was captured. During his six months confinement in prison his constitution was so affected that he never fully recovered.

Obituary: ...Minerva Gertrude, daughter of C. E. and Rebecca Dopson, died April 9, 1883, aged 9 years, five months and thirteen days... Sister C.

Mrs. Annie Mercer, wife of J. C. Mercer, and daughter of G. L. Sheppard, of Dooly County, died at Sumner, Worth County, Ga., April 26, 1883, aged twenty-seven years, eleven months and thirteen days. She leaves two dear little girls and many relatives and friends to mourn her death. She was buried at Old Fort Early Lodge beside her three little children...

Died, at his home near Snow Spring, Dooly County, Ga., April 29th, 1883, Henry Daniels, son of John Daniels. He was just entering manhood, and was snatched from us almost without a moment's warning... D.W.

Obituary: Died, on the 19th of April 1883, in Dooly County, Ga., Mrs. Ava Sheppard, aged seventy-five years. She was the wife of John Sheppard, an old and respected citizen of Dooly, who died several years ago... They now sleep side by side in the cemetery at Azberry Chapel, at the church of their membership, where they loved to worship their Creator. Mrs. Sheppard in early life was converted and received as a member into the M. E. Church... She leaves a great many of her descendants, children, grandchildren and great

grandchildren, to whom whe was ever loving and faithful as a mother and grandmother... I.W.

Vol. 17, #23, Thursday Morning, 7 Jun.1883:

Deaths in Wilcox: Dr. J. L. Thigpen informed us yesterday of the death of Mr. F. A. Blue, better known as Arch Blue, aged about thirty-nine years. He died on Sunday last at the home of his mother in Wilcox County. During the late war Mr. Blue served as a member of the Macon Guards, commanded by Col. Lucius M. Lamar, afterwards Colonel of the Eight Georgia regiment. Mr. Blue's comrades speak of him as a splended soldier; Mr. Richard Walden, aged about sevent-four years, died on Tuesday morning, June 5, 1883, at his home eight miles this side of Abbeville. He was familiarly called "Ginea Dick," and was respected by all who knew him for his sincerity, honesty and industry.

Jottings Form Ocilla: It is painful regret that we learn of the death of Mrs. Clark, consort of Mr. Willie A. Clark, which took place last Sunday at her home, on the turpentine farm of Clark, Bussey & Co. Mrs. Clark was an estimable lady, a kind mother and devoted wife. She leaves a sorrowing husband, several children and a host of friends to mourn her death...

Died, in Dooly County, Ga., on the 27th December 1882, Mrs. W. C. Culpepper, aged twenty-four years and five months. She was the daughter of Nathan Barwick. She was a fond mother and an affectionate wife. Farewell, loved one. A friend.

Vol. 17, #24, Thursday Morning, 14 Jun.1883:

Mrs. Fannie Wade, wife of Mr. J. B. Wade, died at their home in this county on Tuesday evening last. The funeral obsequies were conducted by Rev. E. A. Burch at Bluff Creek Methodist Church, at which place the remains were interred on the following Sunday evening. Mrs. Wade was a daughter of Judge W. Ira Brown, of Dooly.

Mr. James Fleming has received a letter announcing the death of his brother John Ottaway Fleming, near Jasper, Hamilton County, Florida, on the 17th day of April last. The deceased was born in Washington County, Georgia, in 1824, and at the age of three years moved with his parents to Pulaski County, where he lived until about the year 1857, when he emigrated to Florida. About the year 1854 he was elected to the office of tax collector by the people of Pulaski. There were six of the Fleming brothers. Mr. James Fleming, now living near Hawkinsville, is the only survivor. Duncan Lemon Fleming died in Dooly County in 1849. He was the father of Mr. D. G. Fleming of Hawkinsville. William G. Fleming died in Pulaski County in 1870. Count Pulaski Fleming died in Atlanta about 1878. Ferdinand died in this county in 1879. All except Ferdinand married and raised families. One sister, Mrs. Catharine Williamson, is still living near Hawkinsville.

From the Dooly Vindicator: Mr. Jerry Christmas died at his home near Snow Spring last week. He had been confined to bed eight or ten months affected

with bronchitis and the weight of years. He was a prominent citizen of Dooly County, and occupied a high place in the estimation of his friends. He was about eighty years of age; The death of Mr. Jeremiah H. DuPree occurred at his home at Snow Spring last Saturday, after nearly one week of sickness. He was taken with a congestive chill and continued to grow worse until death relieved his pain. Mr. DuPree was a worthy young man, had been married only a few years. He leaves a wife, two children and many near relatives to mourn his loss...

Vol. 17, #25, Thursday Morning, 21 Jun.1883:

From Savannah News: S. S. Wallace, of Colorado, who is to contest Mr. Belford's title to his seat in Congress, is a native of Burke County, and has many relatives living at Waynesboro. He was a member of the twenty-seventh Georgia regiment. Editor of Dispatch: Mr. S. S. Wallace was born in this county, and was raised in Hawkinsville. There are many old citizens who remember him as a small boy playing about the streets of Hawkinsville, fishing in the Ocmulgee, etc.

Vol. 17, #26, Thursday Morning, 28 Jun.1883:

Fort Valley, June 24th: Mrs. Mary Hollinshead, the wife of the late Dr. W. H. Hollinshead, died here today about 2 o'clock of heart disease...

Items from about Mt. Calvary: Editor Dispatch ... died, at her home in Louisiana, May 26, 1883, Mrs. Mary M. Scarborough, wife of Wm. K. Scarborough, aged about sixty-three years.

Vol. 17, #27, Thursday Morning, 5 Jul.1883:

Mr. W. L. Harrell and Miss Margaret Daniel were married at the residence of the bride's father, Duncan C. Daniel, on Sunday morning, 1st instant, by Thomas Wilcox, Esq. The bridegroom is a son of Mr. Levi H. Harrell, and all parties are residents of Pulaski. The happy pair have our best wishes.

On Saturday last, late in the afternoon, Thomas Scarborough, a young man left Cochran under the influence of liquor... He was living with Mr. James E. Scarborough in Gum Swamp and was a nephew of Mr. Scarborough... One of the wheels of the wagon struck a stump and threw young Scarborough out, his head striking another stump, crushing his skull, and breaking his neck in two places. He died without a word or a struggle...

Report of Committee...: Whereas, in the dispensation of an allwise Providence, our Heavenly Father removed from our midst Mrs. Emma D. Felder, on the twenty-fifth day of April, A.D., eighteen hundred and eighty-three, after a very short illness. Be it therefore resolved by the Sunday School at Snow Spring,... Signed, Committee.

Vol. 17, #28, Thursday Morning, 12 Jul.1883:

We regret to announce the death of Miss Alice Hodges, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hodges, of this place, who died on Sunday evening last after an illness of two weeks. The remains were conveyed to Perry, her former home, on Monday morning for burial.

Eastman, Ga., July 10th: Samuel T. Rawlins, son of Hon. Nicholas Rawlins, of this county, died last week of consumption. This is said to be the first death resulting from consumption originally contracted in Dodge County. Mr. Rawlins was a clever young man and was well thought of by all who knew him. He contracted the disease of which he died at a dance in the month of July about three years ago. His death is much regretted in the community...

Vol. 17, #29, Thursday Morning, 5 Jul.1883:

Mr. Willie Powell's infant daughter, Adra, we regret to learn, died on Tuesday morning last. The remains were carried to Dooly for interment.

Mr. John Tippett, formerly of Hawkinsville, was married on Thursday last, 12th inst., to Miss Martha Marable, of Suwannee County, Florida.

Mr. Daniel Bridges died at his home in Dooly County on Saturday evening, July 14th, 1883, aged about sixty-five years. He was an old citizen and one of the best of men, honored for his integrity, and respected by every one who knew him.

Col. James Oliver Jelks died at the residence of his son, J. O., Jr., in this place, at three o'clock on Tuesday morning of this week, after a few days illness of pneumonia. On Tuesday afternoon his remains were followed by a large consourse of friends and relatives to the Baptist Church, where appropriate funeral services were conducted by the pastor, Rev. E. J. Coates, and thence to Orange Hill Cemetery, where he was buried with Masonic honors. He was one of the original members of Mt. Hope Lodge No. 9 of that order. Col. Jelks was born in North Carolina in 1802, and when a child moved with his parents to this county. Arriving at maturity, he engaged in business in Old Hartford, then an Indian trading point, the Ocmulgee river being the border of the White and Indian settlements. When Hawkinsville was first settled he came over here, continued in business, and remained here until about 1850, when he moved to Oglethorpe, Macon County, where he was engaged in the cotton business for about three years. He then went to Hamilton County, Florida, where he was principally engaged in farming pursuits until 1871, when he returned to Hawkinsville, where he has since assisted his sons, Messrs. J. O. Jelks & Bros., in their business. In March, 1833, Col. Jelks married Miss Mary Polhill, daughter of Judge James Polhill, then of this county. This revered Christian lady still survives him, and the celebration of their Golden Wedding in April last, is still fresh in the minds of our citizens. They have raised a family of six sons and one daughter, all of whom are still living, except one son, Needham W. Jelks, who died about seven years since, and all of whose position in business circles, society and the church, we trust will

long continue to reflect honor on the names of their parents... Col. Jelks never united himself with any branch of the Christian church...

The following touching incident connected with the death of Mr. Samuel T. Rawlins, son of Hon. Nicholas Rawlins, who died of consumption at Eastman last week, we find in the Eastman Times. In chronicling the sad particulars of his untimely death the Times says: ...He then shook hands with his brother George...

Eastman, Ga., July 17th: It is sad to have to record the death of Mr. Ben Rogers, a deserving young man of this county. Only a few weeks since he was hale, healthy and robust, but was seized with typhoid fever, from which he died yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, after a brief illness.

Vol. 17, #30, Thursday Morning, 26 Jul.1883:

Mr. A. C. Strickland, of this place, and Miss Nannie Mock, of Miller County, were united in marriage at the residence of the bride's mother on Sunday, 15th inst.

James H. Pipkin, son of Mr. Nathan Pipkin, died at his home in this county on Monday morning last, July 23, 1883. He was born 25th of March 1867, and was just entering manhood.

A difficulty took place near County Line Church in Dooly County, on Sunday last between Sampson Cason, Jr., and Samuel Clifton, two young men of that vicinity, resulting in Clifton being fatally stabbed...

From Dooly Vindicator: A small child, four years of age, of Mr. James Y. Woodard, of Gum Creek, died yesterday.

Vol. 17, #31, Thursday Morning, 2 Aug.1883:

Obituary: Died, at her home near Minden, La., June 30, 1883, Mrs. Nannie E. Felts, wife of Jas. R. Felts, and sister of J. W. Conner, of this city. She was married in the fall of 1869, and moved to Louisiana the following winter, where she lived happily with her husband until the time of her death. She was a kind and obedient wife, a fond and loving mother, a bright and shining light of the M.E. Church South, of which she had been a faithful member for the past thirteen years. She leaves five little children, a kind husband and a large family connection to mourn her loss. J.W.C.

Eastman, Ga., July 30th: After an illness of exactly four weeks, John D. Hamilton departed this life last Friday night at half past 1 o'clock. He was taken with typhoid fever on Friday, the 30th day of June, and died on Friday night just four weeks afterwards... Johnnie Hamilton was the son of ex-state Senator John J. Hamilton, of this place, who died a year or so since. He developed excellent business capacity, and was a fast rising young merchant of our town... As evidence of what people thought of him, every business house in town was closed last Saturday, and all citizens, both white and black,

attended his burial. Johnie was born, September 17, 1859 and died 27 July 1883. His age was therefore 23 years, 10 months and 10 days. He was married to Miss Fannie Edwards, January 31, 1883. He leaves, besides a host of friends to mourn his death, a desolate young wife, a grief-stricken mother, sorrowing sisters and a little brother...

Vol. 17, #32, Thursday Morning, 9 Aug.1883:

Items from Irwin: It is with painful regret that we chonicle the death of the two-year old son of Mr. Daniel A. McInnis, our sheriff, which occurred on the evening of the 31st ult., after a painful illness of seven days...

An Eastman correspondent furnishes the Telegraph and Messenger with the following details of a homicide which occurred near that place. At Mr. J. M. Woodward's place several miles from here, Joab Peel on Thursday last, 2nd inst., shot and killed A. C. Perdue with a shotgun... The parties were related to each other.

Vol. 17, #33, Thursday Morning, 16 Aug.1883:

In Memoriam. Mount Hope Lodge, No. 9, F.& A.M., August 14, 1883. Our loved and worthy brother, J. O. Jelks, Sr., who departed this life in Hawkinsville, July 11th 1883, was born in North Carolina on the 7th day of October, 1802. About the year 1827, he joined Mount Hope Lodge, No. 9, F.& A.M., of which he continued a member to the time of his death...

Tribute of Respect by Wesley Chapel Sabbath School for James Harris Pipkin. (Compiler's Note: No dates or genealogical data given.)

From the Dooly Vindicator: We regret to report the death of Miss Jennie Bazemore, which occurred at the residence of her grand-father, Mr. Stephen Woodward, of this county, on Thursday night, August 1st. She had been in delicate health for some months, but was confined to her bed only two days previous to her death.

Vol. 17, #34, Thursday Morning, 23 Aug.1883:

The funeral of Nelia Bell, infant daughter of Judge H. H. Whitfield, took place at Orange Hill Cemetery on Tuesday evening. She died Monday evening last.

Mr. John R. Pearce, aged about seventy years, died on his farm in the southeastern part of Pulaski County on Tuesday last. Mr. Pearce came to this county from Houston, and had been a citizen for many years.

From Dooly Vindicator: We learn that a bright little son of Mr. Fuqua, of Turkey Creek, died on Friday the 10th inst., after several days illness...

Vol. 17, #35, Thursday Morning, 30 Aug.1883:

Mrs. T. J. McGriff died near Coley Station, in this county, on Sunday last.

Mr. S. B. Coody, of Dodge County, and Miss Sue Bartlett, of Macon, were married at the home of Mr. J. A. J. Phillips, near Hartford, on the 23d inst.

Died, of cholera infantum, near Temperance, Telfair County, Ga., Aug. 21st 1883, little Eliza, daughter of Eliza and James W. Malloy, aged one year and three months... Jno.

Another unfortunate difficulty, resulting in the death, occurred a few miles below Hawkinsville on Monday last about dark. The parties involved in the affair were J. D. McIntyre and William L. Hendley, or little Billy Hendley, as he is called... McIntyre was a young man from North Carolina... Hendley fired at him twice with a pistol, both balls taking affect, one stricking McIntyre above the stomach, and passing entirely through. The other ball pentrated the body near the first, McIntyre made some remarks, walked a step or two, fell and expired... The jury brought in a verdict of justifiable homicide.

Obituary: Sarah Jane, daughter of the late James C., and Narcissa J. Bazemore, was born in Dooly County, Ga., October 17, 1868, and died at the residence of her grandfather, Stephen Woodward, August 1st, 1883, aged 14 years, 9 months and 14 days. She had been in declining health about eighteen months and expressed herself conscious of and resigned to her approaching death... Father, mother, brother and sisters all gone - little Jimmie left alone... Her uncle, J.A.W.

Vol. 17, #36, Thursday Morning, 6 Sep.1883:

Sol Philips, well known in Macon, has been drowned in a pool on his plantation in Twiggs County, about ten miles from Macon.

Julian, the infant son of Mr. J. J. Joiner, died on Friday last.

Mr. D. G. McCormick's little four-year old daughter Florence died on Tuesday. Three more of the children are sick, one of them critically ill, and was reported dead this morning. They were all suffering from congestion of the bowels.

To the Editor of the Dispatch: It was our pleasure on Thursday last, August 30th, to attend a family gathering at the residence of uncle Johnnie W. Cross, near Snow Spring, Dooly County. His sons and daughters were there, and with their friends and their families the crowd was swelled to nearly one hundred. This gathering was to pay tribute of respect and love to the venerable heads of the family, and to celebrate the 74th birthday of uncle Johnnie. His lovely and trusting wife is now in her 73d year, and though they have been married fifty-three years they still cling to each other with all the love and tenderness of the newly married couple... He has raised a large family of children, and all except two reside near him...; Dr. J. H. Dupree died in Snow on Monday night, August 27th, after a long illness... W.

THE HAWKINSVILLE DISPATCH, HAWKINSVILLE, GEORGIA

Vol. 17, #37, Thursday Morning, 13 Sep.1883:

The body of J. D. McIntyre, who was killed by W. L. Hendley week before last, has been exhumed and carried to North Carolina, the former home of the deceased.

Died, at their home in the lower edge of this county on Monday, 10th inst., Mrs. Ann Fountain, wife of Mr. John L. Fountain. The remains were brought to Hawkinsville and interred in Orange Hill Cemetery on Tuesday evening.

We regret to announce the death of Mrs. John L. Anderson, which occurred on Thursday last, after a brief illness of homorrhagic fever. Mrs. Anderson was a most estimable lady, and wife of one of Pulaski's highly esteemed citizens... The funeral obsequies took place at Orange Hill Cemetery in Hawkinsville, Friday evening.

Married, on Sunday, September 2d, 1883, at the residence of the bride's father, Rev. J. W. Williamson, by Rev. Jas. Williamson, Mr. H. B. Maloy and Miss Mary E. C. Williamson, all of Telfair County... John.

Vol. 17, #38, Thursday Morning, 20 Sep.1883:

From the Dublin Gazette, Laurens County: Mrs. Jordan Hobbs, a very estimable woman, loving wife and devoted mother, died in this county on the 8th inst., of typho-malarial fever...

Mrs. Julia E. Taylor, wife of Mr. T. J. Taylor, and formerly Miss Riley, died on the 14th inst., and was buried in the cemetery in Hawkinsville.

Mr. William Summerford, a prominent planter and an esteemed citizen of Dooly County, was married at Vienna on Thursday afternoon last to Mrs. Pauline Morgan, a widowed daughter of the late Col. Shep. Rogers. The ceremony was performed at the residence of the bride's mother by Hon. A. C. Pate, who, announcing a twenty minutes recess of superior court, repaired to the appointed place, and united the happy couple in the holy bonds of matrimony.

Green A. Cox, better known among his extensive circle of friends and acquaintances as "Uncle Green," was found dead in his potato patch. Mr. Cox was born in 1814, and was 69 years, 5 months and 5 days old at the time of his death. At the age of 33 he became a member of the Missionary Baptist Church, and has led a consistent Christian life for nearly 37 years. In the same year he married Mrs. Vicy Mock, a widow lady of nearly the same age as himself. During the first year of his married life he was stricken with a disease of an apoplectic character and he has been a confirmed invalid ever since... About 23 months ago "Uncle Green" removed from Dooly to Berrien County, and at the time of his death was a member of Zion Hope Church. The deceased left two sons, one of whom is married, and five daughters, all of whom are grown up... W. W. Webb, Tipton, Ga., Sept. 7th, 1883.

From The Dublin Gazette of the 13th inst: On the 6th inst., at the residence of Mr. Joshua Walker, of Laurens Hill in this county, his two charming daughters were led to the hymeneal alter. Mr. I. J. Duggan, of Laurens Hill, was united to Miss Mary J., and Mr. C. L. Page to Miss Rebecca. Mr. Duggan constitutes one of the firm of Walker & Duggan of Laurens Hill... Mr. Page is a worthy young man of Johnson County. Rev. John DuPree officiated and joined in two the four young hearts; Rev. B. C. Green, of this county, a very prominent farmer, was married to Miss Mattie Harrold, of Pulaski County, on the 6th inst.

Vol. 17, #39, Thursday Morning, 27 Sep.1883:

Mr. T. C. Byrd, of Florida, and Miss Inez Hudspeth, of Hawkinsville, were married on the 17th inst., in Hamilton County, Fla.

Mrs. Elmira Hudley, wife of Mr. Joe Hudley, of Wilcox, died on Friday last, 21st inst., at the home of her brother, Mr. Cornelius McKinney, in this county.

A runaway marriage occurred in this county on Sunday, 24th inst., the contracting parties being Mr. Geo. W. Nobles, of Pulaski, and Miss Ella Bullington, of Dooly.

We regret to learn of the death of Mr. John A. Hollon, one of Dooly County's most highly respected and successful farmer. Mr. Hollon had been in declining state of health for some time, and died on Saturday last at his home near Snow. He was fifty-two years old.

Died, at their home at Bullards, Twiggs County, Ga., on the 18th inst., Mrs. L. T. Harrell, wife of Mr. J. L. Harrell. Mrs. Harrell, nee Miss Lula Perry, was formerly a resident of Hawkinsville, and has many friends here whose hearts will be made sad on learning of her death.

From the Vindicator, Dooly County: On Tuesday last the 11th inst., Mr. John McSwain, of Vienna, died at his home of fever and old age, being seventy years of age. He was an industrious citizen.

From Macon Telegraph: A Fatal Runaway. About seven o'clock yesterday morning, Mr. James Dye, a well-to-do and highly respected farmer, of Twiggs County, while bringing a bale of cotton into Macon, met with a misfortune that will end in death. Mr. Dye is about sixty-five years of age, and has a farm four miles from Bird's Station, and is about sixteen miles from Macon.

Vol. 17, #40, Thursday Morning, 4 Oct.1883:

Mr. Andrew Arnold, of this county, died on Tuesday last, 25th ult.

We regret to learn of the deaths of Mr. J. N. Davis and his little daughter, of Wilcox County. Mr. Davis died on Sunday night last and his daughter on Saturday preceding.

In Memoriam: Alma Miller, daughter of W. H. and E. F. Brown, aged three years and twenty-six days, died of congestion of the bowels near Snow, Dooly County, Ga., on September 26th, being sick only two days... Sister.

Letter from Eastman, Ga., October 2: Among those who died was Mrs. Terrell Belts, a highly respected lady, and well known to many of the readers of the Dispatch, especially in Pulaski and Dodge Counties. She was the daughter of Mr. James Bohannon, formerly of Pulaski, now of Dodge County. Her many friends will deeply regret her death... J.B.,Jr.

From Macon Telegraph: We learn of a sad death in Twiggs County yesterday. Mr. Joe Davidson, a farmer who has a plantation near Macon, was packing cotton, and while leaning over putting in the cotton the follow block broke loose from the screw and fell with great force upon his head, crushing it and causing instant death.

Vol. 17, #41, Thursday Morning, 11 Oct.1883:

From Eastman, Ga., October 9th: Mrs. J. C. Rawlins, the wife of our clever clerk of Dodge, Superior Court, died last week of typhoid fever. She leaves five or six little children to pine and want for a devoted mother's love and care... J.B.,Jr.

Mrs. Manning, wife of Mr. John Manning, died in Cochran this (Wednesday) morning. She was a sister of the Partin brothers of Hawkinsville.

Died, on the 19th of September, 1883, near Turkey Creek, Dooly County, Ga., of diptheria, Sarah Agnes, aged fourteen months, infant daughter of G. D. and Mary L. Hughes, and granddaughter of T. J. Mason.

On the 22d of September, 1883, Freeman Scott, aged 21 months, son of John and Sarah G. Hughes.

Mrs. Susan Rogers, aged about thirty-seven years and wife of Mr. Robert Rogers, died suddenly at her home in Irwin County on Sunday, September 23, 1883... On entering the room he found his wife prostrated on the floor, face downward. He took her in his arms, when her eyes opened, but she did not speak, and expired in a few minutes. Mrs. Rogers had not been sick a day in four year. She was a daughter of Jacob Lewis, who lived on Gum Swamp, in Pulaski County, and was married in 1857 to Robert Rogers. She was a member of Macedonia Church, originally in Pulaski, now in Dodge County.

Mr. William Freeney, a well known engineer on the Macon and Brunswick Railroad, met with an accident that caused his death on Sunday last... On Sunday last his engine turned over with him near Waycross and he was so severely scalded that he died a few hours afterwards. He was a brother of Mrs. Robert L. Partin, of Hawkinsville. His mother resides in Macon, and he was her main support.

Richmond Arnold, aged twenty-five years, died at his home near Goldsboro, in Pulaski County last week, and on Monday his brother Levi, aged about twenty-eight years died leaving a wife and four children. Andrew Arnold, their brother, died on the 25th of last month - the three brothers having all died within fifteen days, and all in the same neighborhood.

In Memoriam: Lewis Ball was born in Effingham County, Ga., in 1815, and moved to this county, then Irwin, with his aged mother in 1824. He was married in 1838, and raised five children... He joined the Primitive Baptist Church at Hopewell in 1839, and lived a consistent member until 1860, when he joined the Masonic fraternity, and not only bore the name of a Mason, but was truly one in heart. He departed this life on the 19th of September, 1883, and was buried near Pleasant Plain Church with Masonic honors on the 21st. (Compiler's Note: He was a member of the Western Light Lodge.)

Vol. 17, #42, Thursday Morning, 18 Oct.1883:

Mr. Daniel A. McLeod, an aged and highly respected citizen of Wilcox County, died on Saturday last, 13th inst.

Mr. Freeny died on Monday, after having done for him all that could be done. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock and was largely attended... Macon Telegraph, 10th inst.

Vol. 17, #43, Thursday Morning, 25 Oct.1883:

Mr. B. F. Cotton, of Hawkinsville, and Miss Carrie A. Daniel, of Carrollton, Ga., were married at the residence of the bride's father on the evening of the 15th inst., by Rev. B. W. Scott. Mr. Cotton returned with his bride last week and has resumed his position in the establishment of the Singer Sewing Machine Company at Hawkinsville...

Vol. 17, #44, Thursday Morning, 1 Nov.1883:

From Dublin Gazette: Sunday morning just at the hour of daybreak, Annie Tucker, a very old woman, in this county, rose from her bed, kindled the fire, dressed herself and lit her pipe. Her daughter, who slept in a different bed in the same room, was very soon aroused by screams, and discovered that the clothing of the old woman were ablaze. The flames were extinguished, however, but not until they had wrought fatal effects, from which she died after hours of suffering the most excuriating pain.

Little Leonard Burnett, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Burnett, and grandson of Mr. T. J. Mason, died near Turkey Creek, Dooly County, October 29th, age one year and ten months.

Married, at the residence of Geo. P. Woods, on Pine Level, Wednesday evening, October 24, 1883, by Rev. E. J. Coates, Mr. Charles W. Bache, of Waycross, Ga., and Miss Lucy Tippett...

Emma, the little five-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Manheim, of this place, died on Friday evening, October 26th, after a lingering illness. The burial took place at Orange Hill Cemetery on Saturday evening.

Mr. John Cremer, aged about seventy-eight years, died on Thursday evening last after a brief illness. Mr. Cremer has been a citizen of Hawkinsville for a number of years, and was well known and respected. He was a shoemaker by trade, which occupation he followed up until the time of his demise. His burial took place at Orange Hill Cemetery on Friday evening.

Just as we go to press we learn of the death of Mr. J. W. Carruthers, which occurred late yesterday evening at the residence of his son, Mr. Thos. Carruthers, in this place. Mr. Carruthers had been in feeble health for a long time, and his death was not unexpected. He was one of the oldest citizen of the county and well known throughout this section. The remains will be interred this evening in the family burial ground on the east side of the river.

In Memoriam: Joshua A. Luke died at his home in Irwin County on the 14th of October 1883, after a long illness of dropsy. He was in the 79th year of his age. He was born in South Carolina in 1805, and was brought to Irwin County, Georgia, by his parents when quite young. When he left his parents and began life for himself, he followed boating on the Ocmulgee River until he married an estimable daughter of John Tomberlin and settled down as a farmer, in which pursuit he was engaged up to the time of his death. He raised seven children, six boys and one girl. Three of his sons lost their lives in the cause of the Confederacy. A fourth son survived the war, but today bears the marks of being a good soldier. Two of his sons have grown up since the war. He was a devoted husband... He united himself with the Primitive Baptist Church while in the bloom of life... He was a bright and good Mason, and was buried with Masonic honors. John A. Tomberlin. (Compiler's Note: Probably a member of Western Light Lodge, because John A. Tomberlin of that lodge was signer of obituary for Lewis Ball.)

Vol. 17, #45, Thursday Morning, 8 Nov.1883:

From the Houston Home Journal: We are informed that Mr. J. Wooten Taylor died at his home in Henderson on the 15th of October. He had been in feeble health for some time when he died. He was held in high esteem by all who knew him.

On last Monday night Mrs. Margaret A. Speight, wife of Mr. S. L. Speight, sister of Messrs. G. W. and T. M. Killen, of Perry, died at her home near Perry. She had been sick just one week, but was not considered seriously ill until on Friday evening before she died. The burial took place at Evergreen Cemetery Tuesday afternoon...

Little Sallie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Dennard, of Wilcox County, died on Monday last, aged nine years.

Martin Morgan, son of Rev. M. F. Morgan, of Snow Spring, Dooly County, died on Thursday last, aged about twenty years.

Mrs. Stetson, mother of Mr. James D. Stetson, of Hawkinsville Bank and Trust Co., died in Milledgeville last week.

Miss Mary Thompson, sister of R. R. Thompson and brothers, died at their home on Big Creek on Sunday night last. The remains were buried in the cemetery in Hawkinsville on Monday last.

Mr. John Washington Carruthers, who died at the home of his son (Thomas L. Carruthers) in Hawkinsville last week, was one of the oldest citizens of Pulaski County. He moved with parents from North Carolina to this county in 1818, and had been a citizen for over sixty years.

Mrs. Sarah Walker, wife of Mr. M. A. Walker, died in Dodge County on Tuesday, the 23d of October, 1883, and on Friday succeeding the babe, nine months old, followed its mother. Mrs. Walker was a daughter of Mr. William Studstill.

Capt. Hugh L. Dennard died at his home in Perry, Houston County, on Friday last. He was in the eighty-third year of his age, and was one of the wealthiest citizens of Houston County. He leaves a widow and one son and one daughter - Mr. E. L. Dennard, and Mrs. Hughes, wife of Hon. D. M. Hughes, of Twiggs County. The deceased was a member of the Baptist Church.

A coffin left Hawkinsville this morning which will be used for the burial of Mrs. Oberry, a most estimable lady and wife of Mr. J. E. Oberry, whose sad and sudden death occurred in Cochran yesterday. Mrs. Oberry, we learn, had been in ill health for sometime, but was recovering, it was thought, until yesterday evening, when she dropped dead while out walking in the yard.

Mr. Washington Hall died at his home in Dooly County on the 24th day of October 1883. He was an upright and highly respected citizen. The Vindicator, noting his death says: He had been a consistent member of the Primitive Baptist Church for a number of years and enjoyed the love of his brethren and the respect of his friends... He was seventy-three years of age. His wife and five small children, besides five grown children and a host of friends are left to mourn his loss...

The Vindicator announces the marriage of Mr. George Lewis and Miss Carrie Haslam, all of Dooly County, on the 24th ult. The ceremony was performed in a brief but rounded manner, by J. D. Hargrove, Judge of the Court of Ordinary... The groom is a clever and worthy young man and a son of Mr. Jasper F. Lewis, a successful planter and one of the best citizens of Dooly. The bride is beautiful and amiable and is a daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Haslam...

Obituary: Died, in Wilcox County, Ga., October 13th, little James Lawson, infant son of Rufus and Mary King, aged nine months and seven days... M.E.R.

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Vol. 17, #46, Thursday Morning, 15 Nov.1883:

Married at the residence of Mr. John D. Wynne, father of the bride in Cochran, Ga., on the evening of the 6th inst., by Rev. Geo. C. Clarke, Mr. Braxton B. Pound and Miss Fannie Wynne.

Mrs. Haskins, an aged lady, and the mother-in-law of Mr. C. W. M. Wynne and Mr. Robert E. Nicholls, died in Cochran on Wednesday of last week and was buried at the family burial ground on Thursday afternoon.

Lewis Lee, Esq., died at his home eleven miles below Hawkinsville on Tuesday night, 13th November 1883. Mr. Lee formerly lived in Wilkinson County, and for a time practiced law in Hawkinsville.

Mrs. Annie Dennard, wife of Mr. Joe J. Dennard, died at her home in Wilcox County on Thursday November 8, 1883, after an illness of about two weeks. Her little girl, Fannie, was buried in the same coffin having died before the mother.

Mr. John F. McLeod, an old and well known citizen of Wilcox County, died on Saturday last after an illness of one week. He was stricken with paralysis just one week before his death, and never spoke after the attack. The burial took place on Sunday last at Cedar Creek Church, in Wilcox County. Mr. McLeod was upward of seventy years of age.

Mr. Murd Pipkin's little boy, Henry, three and a half years old, was horribly burned on Monday evening last, and died at twelve o'clock that night... Capt. William R. Collins came to Hawkinsville after a physician, but the child died in two hours after his arrival, having lived five or six hours through the most exeruciating torture.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father (Mr. Levi Harrell) on Wednesday morning, Nov.7th, Mr. Andrew J. Harrell, of Pulaski, and Miss Mary Louisa Harrell of Telfair... Mr. Levi H. Harrell, of Pulaski officiating...

We have recorded several elopements which terminated here, and several romantic marriages which were consummated within our sacred borders. Rev. Geo. C. Clarke has officiated in more than one. On Thursday afternoon last he was called to the Joiner Hotel and requested to unite Mr. Frank T. Dawson and Miss Minnie S. Ronaldi, who had just come from Cochran in a carriage. This marriage had been anticipated, though it was unexpected at the time and place that it occurred...

Died, Mrs. Harriett Harrell, daughter of the late John Wilcox, and wife of Mr. William L. Harrell, of Telfair County. She was born Oct. 15th 1847, and died Oct. 31st, 1883. She had been in bad health for several months, and at intervals she would suffer all the agonies of death for twelve hours at a time... She leaves a husband and nine children, an aged mother, four sisters, a brother and many relatives and friends to mourn her untimely death... Her mother.

Vol. 17, #47, Thursday Morning, 22 Nov.1883:

Mr. Lewis B. Willcox, of Hawkinsville, and Miss Lucia Rutherford, daughter of Mr. John H. Rutherford, of Hayneville, Houston County, were married at the residence of the bride's father on Tuesday evening last, Rev. E. J. Coats officiating.

The announcement of the death of Mr. Albert Starowski on Saturday morning last was received with general regret by the citizens of Hawkinsville, and by all who knew him... He was recovering from this attack (fever) when he was taken with a congestive chill on Saturday morning last, and died suddenly. Mr. Starowski came to Hawkinsville in 1859, and obtained employment with a Mr. Russell, a cabinet maker. He had been a citizen of Hawkinsville from that time to the day of his death, with the exception of the period spent in the Confederate service. At the breaking out of the war he became a member of Capt. Ryan's company, that formed a part of the Eight Georgia regiment and remained in the service till the close of the struggle. Mr. Starowski was a native of Prussia... Mr. Starowski has no relatives in America except a brother, who has been living at St. Augustine, Florida. His brother arrived in Hawkinsville on Tuesday morning, and attended the burial at the cemetery in this place on Tuesday afternoon...

Died, on Sunday afternoon, November 18th, 1883, Miss Sallie Sapp, in her eighteenth year, daughter of William R. and Sarah Sapp, of Pulaski County. She was ill for three weeks with typhoid fever, and often spoke of death, telling her parents and brothers and sisters not to grieve for her – that she was going to a happier world. In September last she joined Rehoboth Baptist Church, and was baptized by Rev. Mr. Godwin...

Alfred P. Smith, Esq., died at his home in Telfair County on Wednesday, November 14th, 1883, aged about sixty years. Mr. Smith had been a sufferer from asthma nearly all his life... He was an uncle of Solicitor General Smith of this circuit and Dr. A. A. Smith, of this place.

Mr. Elisha Barlow, who moved from Wilkinson County to Pulaski about twenty-four years ago, has sold his farm and closed up his business in this county and moved to Bell County, Texas... Mr. Barlow is about seventy years of age. He has three sons and one daughter in Texas, and has gone there to spend the remainder of his days with them.

John F. McLeod, of Wilcox. Eulogy to the dead is often unmerited, and fulsome praises pass by without attracting a sober, serious thought. But the subject of this notice deserves more than a passing thought. The writer has known Mr. McLeod for over 20 years and lived a near neighbor to him for several years, hence knew him intimately and well, and he can truly say that Mr. McLeod was in many respects a most remarkable man. His father died when he was only sixteen years old, and at that tender age he had to take charge of a family of eleven children... A friend.

Vol. 17, #48, Thursday Morning, 29 Nov.1883:

Mr. William Tharpe, a prominent citizen and a successful planter of Houston County, died at his home in the upper Fifth District, in that county, on Friday last.

The Macon Telegraph announces the death of Hon. C. A. Solomon, Ordinary of Twiggs County, on Friday last...

Dodge County is enjoying a sensation created by an elopement and marriage of a young couple whose union was opposed by the young lady's parent... The happy parties are Jesse R. Rogers, a well-to-do farmer, and Miss Louisa Anderson, daughter of Mr. William Anderson... They manged to get another horse and buggy, and continued their journey to Eastman, where they were made man and wife...

Mr. Jeff D. Pencock and Miss Ella May Ashburn, daughter of Mr. W. W. Ashburn, were married in Eastman on the 15th inst.

Married, at the residence of the brother of the bride, in Cochran, Ga., on Wednesday evening, 21st inst., by Rev. Geo. C. Clark, Mr. James S. Pitts and Miss Mattie Lou Stokes.

Married, at the residence of Mrs. Bell, mother of the bride, in Hawkinsville, November 27th by Rev. Geo. C. Clarke, Mr. Jerry J. Harvard of Snow, Dooly County, Ga., and Mrs. Sallie Eubanks.

Squire J. M. V. Williams, in the Third District of Dooly County, was called on Sunday night last to tie the matrimonial knot for Mr. W. F. Lairsay and Miss Fannie Brinkley, who were determined to unite their lives and fortunes regardless of parental wishes...

Mr. Chas. H. Everett received yesterday a dispatch for Orlando, Orange County, Florida, announcing the death of Mrs. L. T. McColl, at that place, on Saturday last. Mrs. McColl was a daughter of Hon. Oliver P. Swearingen, of Dooly County, and was on a visit to Hawkinsville two weeks ago. She left here for her home in Florida accompanied by her sister, Miss Gussie Swearingen, on the 15th of this month.

Obituary: Died, in Telfair County, October 24th, 1883, little Ida Y. Irwin, youngest child of Mr. G. W. and Elizabeth Irwin, aged seven years, eight months and 14 days... A relative.

Vol. 17, #49, Thursday Morning, 6 Dec.1883:

Mr. Micajah Owens, of Wilcox County, will be ninety-one years of age on the first day of January next... He is the father of fifteen children, five of whom are now living, who, with their children and grandchildren and great grandchildren now living number two hundred and forty-five. Mr. James Owens, of Wilcox County, is the oldest of those living. The others are Joshua and

Alfred Owens, also living in Wilcox County, and Mrs. J. J. King and Mrs. Jonathan Walker...

Macon Telegraph, December 3rd: Died, at his residence, Twiggs County, December 3d, Dr. S. L. Richardson, one of our best and oldest physicians, and a most useful citizen. He will be buried Masonically to-day.

Vol. 17, #50, Thursday Morning, 13 Dec.1883:

Mr. W. M. Snell, of this county, and Miss Lula Gilson, daughter of Mr. R. G. Gilson were married in Brunswick, Ga., on the 29th ult., at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. Waddell. Mr. Snell and his bride arrived in Cochran on Saturday last.

Mr. Jacob M. Clements, a well known and popular young man of Telfair County, died of typhoid fever near McVille on Saturday last, and was buried with Masonic honors on Sunday... His father, Hon. J. Clinton Clements, represented the Fifteenth Senatorial District in 1877 and died during his senatorial term.

We had a pleasant call on Tuesday from Rev. T. I. Smith, who is enroute to the Florida Conference, which meets in January. Mr. Smith married Miss Clifford Rawls, whose father was one of the old and well known merchants of Hawkinsville. The marriage took place in Florida about three years ago, after which Mr. Smith joined the North Georgia Conference, and has been stationed at Cleveland, in Northeast Georgia for the past year or two.

Rodah Henderson, wife of Rev. John Henderson, died at the home of Sarah Roberts, in Coffee County, Ga., on the third day of November 1883, aged seventy-seven years. She was a member of the M.E. Church for fifty years. Her funeral will be preached by Rev. Daniel Morrison on the 30th day of December 1883, at Reedy Creek Church.

Vol. 17, #51, Thursday Morning, 20 Dec.1883:

Mr. Thomas S. Lewis, of Hawkinsville and Miss Georgia Pate, youngest daughter of Judge A. C. Pate, were married at the residence of the bride's father on the evening of the 12th inst., Rev. E. J. Coates officiating.

Mrs. Sarah A. Dykes, wife of Mr. Jacob Dykes, died at her home near Fountain's Mill, in this county, on the 4th day of December, 1883, aged about seventy-five years. She was the mother of Mr. William J. Fountain, who died in 1876, and of Mrs. D. G. Fleming, who died the same year. Only two of her children survive her – Mr. John L. Fountain, of this county, and Mr. Zess Fountain, who lives in Smith County, Texas. Mr. Dykes, the beraved husband, is conceded to be the oldest man in Pulaski County, he being in his ninety-second year.

Tribute of Respect to Memory of Bro. J. W. Carruthers: The subject of this sketch died in Hawkinsville at the residence of his son, T. L. Carruthers, on October 23, 1883, after a long lingering illness. He was born in North Carolina in the year 1807 and moved to Georgia with his parents in 1818, and

settled near Hartford, within two or three miles of Hawkinsville, having spent the most of his life near the place his father settled in 1818. He was one of the oldest Masons in this section of the state, being probably one of the charter members of Mt. Hope Lodge, No. 9. Was also a charter member of Pulaski No. 20... He united himself with the Methodist Church in 1840 and lived the life of a Christian until his death...

Vol. 17, #52, Thursday Morning, 27 Dec.1883:

Contained only one small page of legal notices.

Vol. 18, #1, Thursday Morning, 3 Jan.1884:

Mr. Willie Dunham and Miss Nellie Sutton were married by Rev. George C. Clarke, in Cochran, on the 19th ult.

Mr. Charlie R. Mitchell and Miss Mattie Royal were married at the residence of the bride's father, near Hawkinsville, on Christmas Eve, Rev. E. J. Coates performing the ceremony.

Mr. Henry Payne, of Hawkinsville and Miss Nettie Lasseter, daughter of G. I. Lasseter, of Dooly County, were married at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. A. J. Cone, on the 18th ult...

Mr. William R. Taylor, who had for several years been afflected with a cancer on his face, died on Saturday morning last, December 29, 1883, on the place of Mr. H. B. Marr, in this county. Mr. Taylor was in the sixty-third year of his age, and possessed a remarkable constitution, never having been sick a day, it is said, except from the annoyance of the cancer. He was born in Wilkes County, Ga., in 1820.

The news was received in Hawkinsville on Saturday last that Mr. Bryant W. Brown, living near Hayneville, Houston County, was dying. A messenger came for his brother-in-law, Mr. Shine B. Lawson, of this place. On Sunday further tidings were received announcing the death of Mr. Brown at five o'clock that morning. The remains were taken to Perry and interred in Evergreen Cemetery on Monday last. Mr. Brown was born in Twiggs County, in this state, and was fifty-six years of age. He moved to Houston at an early age. He was elected as one of the delegates from Houston to the Constitutional Convention held at Milledgeville in 1861. He was an intelligent and successful planter, but had recently sold his plantation and had decided to live with his daughter in Monroe County... Calling his brothers to his bedside, he gave each one advice, and in many ways convinced those around him that he was fully prepared for death. He remained cool and collected to the last.

We learn from a letter from Temperance, Telfair County, that Mr. Daniel H. Malloy, an old citizen of that county, met with an accident that resulted in his death on the night of December 23d ... but the effort was sufficient to rupture a blood vessel from which he died in a few minutes.

Ida, the twelve year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Liggin, died suddenly at the home of Mr. Willie Cobb, in Dooly County, on the 18th day of December.

The Vindicator of last week announced the death of Mr. Solomon Wilkes, near Byronville, on Saturday night, December 15th. It seems that Mr. Wilkes had been in bad health for sometime, and took an overdose of morphine, perhaps on Friday, became stuped, and fell asleep and continued to sleep... While it is thought by some that the morphine caused his death, it is not generally believed that the drug was taken with suicidal design.

On Tuesday morning of last week Mr. Charles H. Everett, of Hawkinsville received a dispatch from Orlando, Orange County, Florida, announcing the serious illness of Mr. Robert C. Swearingen. On Monday another dispatch was received saying that Mr. Swearingen was dead and buried. The deceased was a son of Hon. Oliver P. Swearingen, of Dooly. It will be remembered that his daughter Mrs. L. F. McColl, also died in Florida a few weeks ago. Mr. Guy Baskin, a brother-in-law of Mr. Swearingen, left for Florida on the train Thursday afternoon. Mr. Swearingen married Miss Mollie Baskin, of this county and moved to Florida two years ago.

Matrimonal Alliances in Irwin, Berrien & Coffee: A friend in Irwin sends us the following list of marriages: At the residence of Elder J. Vickers, father of the bride, in Coffee County, on Sunday, December 16, 1883, Mr. Dempsey Whiddon, of Irwin, was united to Miss Ava Jane Vickers, Rev. D. M. McMillan officiating; On the same day Mr. Johnson Oliver, of Irwin, was united to Miss Ella Cox, of Berrien, W. H. C. Oliver officiating; At the residence of Elder R. Tucker, on Monday evening, Dec. 17th, Mr. George Tucker was married to Miss Ellen Fletcher, C. L. Royal, Esq., officiating; On Wednesday, the 19th December, at the residence of Hon. William Branch, father of the bride, Mr. Franklin Ross was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Miss Juda Branch, Rev. J. J. Sumner officiating... R.E.

The Weekly Monitor, published at Mineola, Wood County, Texas in its issue of the 22d December contains the obituary of a lady who formerly lived in Dooly County and who has relatives in both Dooly and Pulaski. We copy: Nancy A. Mobley, wife of Dr. L. A. Mobley, was born in Crawford County, Ga., Aug. 2d, 1842, moved from Dooly County, Ga., to Texas in 1870, professed religion, and was received into the Methodist Church by the Rev. B. W. Brown in 1872, and died in Mineola Dec. 19th, 1883... Her husband has lost a true wife, and her children a loving and tender mother... B. R. Bolton.

Vol. 18, #2, Thursday Morning, 10 Jan.1884:

J. R. Barfield, Fernando Mason, his son-in-law, M. E. Boatright and Mr. A'Cock to-gether with their families have moved from Wilkinson County to Texas.

Mr. B. T. Perry, of Houston County, has moved to Arkansas. His post office is Noble Lake...

Mr. Joe Jelks and family left Hawkinsville on Thursday last for Hamilton County, Florida, where they will reside...

Mrs. Celia Wade died at her residence on her plantation two miles below Hawkinsville on Wednesday, January 2, 1884. She was the widow of John Wade, who moved here from upper portion of Pulaski County about twelve years ago. The remains were taken to Mt. Cavalry Church, where they were interred by the side of those of friends and relatives.

Mr. J. E. Smith, of Goldboro, and Miss Ruth Elizabeth Hawkins were married at the residence of the bride's step-father, Mr. J. T. Pugh, near Cochran, on Thursday evening, December 27, 1883, by J. F. Powell, Esq.

The Irwinton Southerner and Appeal of the 2d inst., says: Dr. Benj. S. Breazeall, with his mother, left last week for Hawkinsville, at which place they will in the future reside... Mrs. Breazeall is the mother of Mrs. Geo. W. Jordan and Mrs. Geo. R. Glover.

From The Dooly Vindicator of last week: Mr. John H. Talton and family of Houston County spent Wednesday night in Vienna enroute from Marion County, Fla., where they go to reside... He informed us that Lon Baskin, formerly of Houston County, who moved to the same section in Florida five or six years ago...

Vol. 18, #3, Thursday Morning, 17 Jan.1884:

Mrs. ex-Governor Herschel V. Johnson died at her home near Louisville, Jefferson County, Ga., on Monday last.

Old uncle Billy Coates, said to be one hundred and sixteen years old, died recently in Laurens County. The Dublin Gazette says that Billy was brought as a slave to that county by Robert Coates, grandfather of Rev. E. J. Coates, who is now serving Baptist Church at Hawkinsville.

Mr. William L. Trammell and family left Hawkinsville on Monday last for Florida. They will locate in Orange County, in the vicinity of Lake Jessup. Mr. Trammell was raised in this county, and is a clever and upright gentleman...

Dr. L. T. Boatright will leave in a few days for Valdosta, Ga., where he will continue the practice of medicine. The Doctor has been practicing in Pulaski and adjacent counties for three or four years, having returned from Mexico after sojourning in that country for six years.

Marriages from the Eastman Times: Near Eastman, on the 20th of December 1883, at the residence of the bride's father, John A. Harrell, Jr., Esq., Mr. David Giddens to Miss Pheriba E. Harrell, Rev. J. F. Thompson officiating. All of Dodge County; Near Eastman, on the 20th of December, 1883, at the residence of the bride's father, R. A. Harrell, Esq., Mr. _____Wooten to Miss Ella Harrell, Rev. P. A. Jessup officiating.

Vol. 18, #4, Thursday Morning, 24 Jan.1884:

Mrs. Mariah Leary, aged about seventy years, died at the residence of Mr. C. P. Brown, in Hawkinsville, on Sunday night last.

Mrs. Folds, wife of Mr. W. T. Folds, died at their home in the Third District of Dooly County on the morning of January 21, 1884. She was a daughter of the late Caleb Fullington, and sister of Messrs. J. C. & G. W. Fullington, of Eureka.

Dr. A. M. Veal died at the Pulaski House, in Hawkinsville, on Sunday morning last. Dr. Veal was about sixty-four years of age, and was a Georgian by birth. He was born near Sanderville, in Washington County. For about thirty years previous to 1882 he lived in Louisiana and Texas, having practiced medicine for a few years in the former state. From Louisiana he moved to Texas, where after the practice of medicine for a short time, he accumulated a small capital and engaged in the merchantile business. This was between 1850 and 1860 when times were prosperous. He accumulated wealth rapidly, but the results of the war swept away the bulk of his fortune. After a residence in Texas for about thirty years, Dr. Veal, with his brother, decided to return to Georgia. They came to Hawkinsville in 1882, and opened business here with a large stock of general merchandise... He leaves no family except brothers and sisters. His brother who came here with him from Texas will carry on the business known as the Texas Store. The burial took place on Monday afternoon at the cemetery here, the members of the Masonic lodge taking charge of the remains and interring them according to the rites of their order.

Vol. 18, #5, Thursday Morning, 31 Jan.1884:

Mr. George McNamara died in Dooly County last week. He was a native of Ireland, but had lived in Dooly for many years.

Mrs. Martha C. Holt died at her home in Pulaski County, Ga., January 19, 1884, aged about forty-eight years. She was the widow of William Holt, who died during the war.

Mr. Cornelius Singleton and Miss Mary E. Stephens, daughter of Mr. S. D. Stephens, were married at the residence of the bride's parents, in Pulaski County, on Thursday evening, 24th inst by D. L. Ridly, Esq.

Mr. Jobson, the father of Dr. Jobson, the dentist, died last week at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Wm. Elder, in Macon, in the eighty-sixth year of his age. The burial took place in Perry on Saturday last.

Miss Fannie M. Rose and Mr. George T. Peacock were married in Atlanta on the 17th inst., by Rev. J. H. Parker. The bride is a niece of Mr. Robert V. Bowen, and was born in Hawkinsville...

From the Irwinton Southerner and Appeal of the 23d inst: Our clever young friend T. Milton Freeman was married on the evening of the 19th to Miss Mildred, the lovely and accomplished daughter of Capt. Geo. W. Bishop, all of

Wilkinson County... The ceremony was performed by Rev. John Dupree, grand-uncle of the bride...

Vol. 18, #6, Thursday Morning, 7 Feb.1884:

Mr. John Hoke, of South Carolina, and Miss Kate Felder, daughter of Rev. H. R. Felder. (Editor's Note: This was the complete abstraction.)

From the Houston Home Journal: The Secretary of the Department of the Interior at Washington, D.C., has furnished us for publication the following complete list of the United States pensioners who live in Houston County: Mrs. Sarah Ann Harper, of Byron, widow of soldier of 1812; Mrs. Lucinda Hamilton, of Fort Valley, widow of soldier of 1812; Michael Hartley, Fort Valley, survivor of war of 1812; Mrs. Margaret Ann Killen, of Perry, widow of soldier of 1812; Stephen Castellow, Perry P.O., survivor of the war of 1812. Each of these receives eight dollars per month.

From the Houston Home Journal: Mr. Francis Whitehurst Jobson, one of the oldest and most worthy citizens of Perry died in Macon last Thursday, 24th inst., at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. A. T. Elder. He was stricken with paralysis on the 15th inst., and died nine days later, without recovering from the stroke... He was in the 86th year of his age...

Vol. 18, #7, Thursday Morning, 14 Feb.1884:

David Cason, brother of Sheriff Willis Cason, died in Wilcox County on the 4th of February 1884, aged about forty-eight years.

Mrs. Jane Perry, wife of Mr. W. W. Perry, died from cancer on the breast on Thursday night, February 7, 1884, aged about fifty years. The burial took place at Salem Church.

Tribute from Pine Hill Church, Dooly County: Daniel Bridges ... became a member of our body forty years ago, and was soon after ordained a deacon.

Obituary: Died, suddenly on the night of the 23d of December, 1883, Daniel H. Maloy, in the 63d year of his age.

Vol. 18, #8, Thursday Morning, 21 Feb.1884:

Married, February 19th, by Rev. Geo. C. Clarke, at the residence of the brother of the bride, Hon. J. W. Lancaster, Mr. Winfield O. Betts and Miss Virginia L. Lancaster, all of Pulaski County.

Rev. J. Rufus Felder (of Houston County) died at the home of his son Rev. H. R. Felder, at Bethany, Jefferson County, Ga., on the 14th February 1884, in the seventy-fifth year of his age. The remains were taken to Perry for burial. The deceased was born in Sumter County, South Carolina in 1810, and became a citizen of Houston County about thirty years ago.

From Montezuma Record: Jas. Webb, from near Byromville, Dooly County, died Monday morning, after several days sickness, aged 73 years. Mr. Webb used to live in Montezuma in its infantile days and helped to erect the first house in the place. He was a good citizen and his death is deplored in his community.

Tribute of Respect Millwood Lodge No. 198, F.& A.M: J. H. Dupree, who departed this life in October, 1883, at his home at Snow, Dooly County, originally came from North Carolina, but had been for many years a resident of the Second District of our county... The Doctor was one of the oldest member of our Lodge... Jan. 26, 1884.

Tribute of Respect Millwood Lodge No. 198, F.& A.M: Bro. William R. Taylor was born in Wilkinson County, Ga., on the _____, and departed this life in Pulaski County, Ga., on the 26th of December 1883, aged 63 years. Bro. Taylor's parents moved to Houston County when he was quite a young man, and he moved to Dooly County early in life, and the days of his manhood were mostly spent in this immediate section of the county... He leaves a wife and six children to mourn his loss.

Vol. 18, #9, Thursday Morning, 28 Feb.1884:

Little Eugene, infant son of Mr. & Mrs. E. K. Ragin, died on Friday morning last, 22nd inst., aged six months. The remains were interred in Orange Hill Cemetery.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, on the evening of the 20th inst., Mr. Wilbur F. Kelsey, of Cochran, and Miss Liggie T. McCrea, Rev. E. J. Coates officiating.

Mr. John F. Frazier and Miss Sallie Frank Walker, daughter of Dr. T. F. Walker, were married at the residence of the father of the bride, in Cochran, by Rev. Geo. C. Clarke, on Wednesday, February 20th.

J. T. Wood, son of Bryant A. Wood, Sr., of Dooly County, died on Sunday morning last after two weeks' illness of pneumonia, aged about thirty-three years. Mr. Wood leaves a wife and two children. His wife is a sister of Mr. S. F. Rogers, a young man well known and highly esteemed by the citizens of Hawkinsville.

Vol. 18, #10, Thursday Morning, 6 Mar.1884:

On Monday evening last the little four-year old son of Mr. Rufus Vaughn, of this county, met with an accident that resulted in his death after a few hours of suffering... His head stuck some object on the ground, fracturing his skull, and from which he died next morning.

Mr. T. S. Chancellor, of Columbus, Ga., and Miss Fletcher Wimberly, daughter of Maj. Ezekiel H. Wimberly, were married at the residence of the brides' parents in Hayneville, Houston County, on the 27th February, 1884.

Vol. 18, #11, Thursday Morning, 13 Mar.1884:

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Holton, of this county died on Saturday last and was buried at the cemetery in this place on Sunday.

Deaths: On Monday evening last Miss Fannie McDuffie died of consumption at the residence of her brother, Mr. James B. McDuffie, in this place...; On Tuesday following Mrs. Julia S. Gibson died at her residence in this place after a brief illness. Mrs. Gibson was an estimable lady, and leaves several children who will mourn a mother's care and devotion. The burial of both the deceased took place at Orange Hill Cemetery on Tuesday evening at four o'clock in presence of a large concourse of friends and relatives. Rev. E. J. Coates and Geo. C. Clarke officated.

The Dublin Gazette of last week announces the following marriage: Mr. J. F. Heath and Miss Josie Hawkins, both of this county, were married at Mr. S. V. Sauls last Thursday, Rev. John C. Bracewell officiating...

In the latter part of the year 1883, Telfair County lost some of her best and most useful citizens by death. Among the number were ex-ordinary and clerk of the superior court, W. P. Campbell, who was a useful man and kind neighbor; A. P. Smith, who had filled several offices - clerk of the superior court, tax collector and Justice of the Peace. Mr. Smith was just in all his acts and had a benevolent heart; J. M. Clements was a rising young man, and had he been spared, he would have made his mark. He was hospitable and kind to all; Hon. James Boyd, who had been a citizen of Telfair for many years and filled many responsible offices, but for the last three years of his life was an adopted citizen of Montgomery County...

From the Houston Home Journal of the 6th inst: At half past four o'clock yesterday afternoon, Mr. T. D. Gurr was married to Mrs. Eliza J. Kernaghan, at the residence near Perry of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Pierce, brother-in-law and sister of the bride, Rev. E. M. Whiting officiating. The bride is a daughter of the late Charles Whitehurst, of Houston County, but has recently been a resident of Hamburg, South Carolina...

From the Houston Home Journal: On last Saturday morning when Mr. C. B. Wellborn, who lives in the eastern portion of the county, mounted his horse to ride into the swamp, his two little boys aged respectively about six and four years, wanted to go with him, but he told them to go back to the house ... the younger boy's clothing caught on fire... The suffering boy was carried to the house, and medical aid sent for. All that loving hearts could suggest was done for the child, but the burns were so severe that he died within six hours...

Vol. 18, #12, Thursday Morning, 20 Mar.1884:

Mrs. Martin, wife of Mr. John R. Martin, died at her home in this county on Saturday night last, and was buried at the family cemetery five miles from Hawkinsville on Sunday afternoon.

A young man named Thomas Malloy, a fireman on the E.T.,Va.& G.R.R., accidentally fell under the wheels of his engine near Eastman on Monday last, and had his legs so terribly crushed that he lived but a few minutes. He was about eighteen years of age and leaves a widowed mother living near Cochran, in this county.

Mr. Green Barfield's little daughter Maggie, aged about two years drowned in a clayhole in his yard in the Third District of Dooly County, one day last week. Age one year and eleven months... L. V. Etheredge.

In Memoriam: The subject of this notice was the daughter of Reuben and Elizabeth Lamb of Twiggs County, Ga. She was born December 21, 1841, and was married to Mr. J. C. Newman on August 16, 1855, and died March 6, 1884. Sister Newman professed faith in Christ and was baptised into the fellowship of Laurens Hill Baptist Church by Elder James Williamson in 1855... After a funeral sermon by the writer to a large and attentive congregation, her remains were interred in the yard of Bethany Baptist Church, and near beside her infant boy, where their bodies will rest until the morn of the resurrection... Eight children survive to mourn, with their dear father, the lost of an affectionate wife and mother... B. A. Bacon, Cochran, Ga., March 9, 1884. (Compiler's Note: See page 35, Cemetery Survey of Bleckley County.)

Vol. 18, #13, Thursday Morning, 27 Mar.1884:

From the Fort Valley Mirror: Mr. J. W. Hardison died at his residence in Fort Valley, Tuesday afternoon, 18th inst., after a very brief illness... Mr. Hardison was born in North Carolina, and moved to Houston County before he reached the age of thirty years, having been a resident for nearly fifty years. He located near Byron... He has been a citizen of our town (Byron) since the war... He was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church, at Union, in Crawford County, at which place his remains were deposited Thursday morning... Many children and grandchildren survive to mourn the departure of him on whom they depended for counsel and guidance.

Tribute of Respect, Millwood Lodge No. 198, F.& A.M: Departed this life at the home of his father in Dooly County near Vienna, on the 24th of February, 1884, in the thirty-fourth year of his age. Bro. Thomas J. Wood. He was born and reared in the county ... his wife a loving and affectionate husband, his children a kind and indulgent father... March 22, 1884.

Vol. 18, #14, Thursday Morning, 3 Apr.1884:

Mr. Geo. W. Williams and Miss Josephine Cain, of Wilcox County, were married at the residence of Mr. A. B. Cain, father of the bride, on the 9th of March, by Rev. C. W. Ashley.

Mr. Jesse M. Wynne and Miss Hennie L. Coleman, of Cochran, were united in marriage on Wednesday evening last at the Methodist Church in that place, Rev. Geo. C. Clarke officiating.

Mr. John Fred Faircloth, of Wilcox County, and Miss Mary J. Tippett, of Dooly, were married at the residence of Mr. E. T. Tippett, brother of the bride on the 6th of March, by Rev. G. W. Murray.

Just Back From the War ... Wounded at Gettysburg - Taken Prisoner - Twelve Years a Sailor. In July 1861, at the age of sixteen years, Daniel P. Watson, left his home and aged parents in Wilcox County, Ga., and entered the Confederate army as a private in Co. H, Twentieth Georgia Regiment, General Benning's brigade... On Friday morning, March 21, he started toward Abbeville, Wilcox County, and going to the home of Mr. E. B. Mixon, made himself known to the old gentleman. Here he learned that his mother had been dead nearly twenty years, but that his father, Thomas Watson still lived near Abbeville, in the eighty-second year of his age...

Vol. 18, #15, Thursday Morning, 10 Apr.1884:

This issue missing.

Vol. 18, #16, Thursday Morning, 17 Apr.1884:

No sadder tragedy has ever occurred in Dublin than was the drowning of Mr. W. H. Gandy at the ferry Tuesday afternoon. The deceased had been to Dublin and was returning to his home on the east side of the river when he met his sad fate... Gandy was a young man about twenty-five and leaves a bride of one and a half years and a wee babe of only a few months. The remains were then taken in charge by his relatives and taken to the family burying ground seven miles east of Dublin... Dublin Gazette.

Dooly County ... Personal Notes - Etc: Married at the residence of the bride's father, on last Sunday, the 6th inst., Mr. James Spiers and Miss Mellie Truluck, Rev. J. R. Fields officiating...

Obituary: Died, on April 1st, 1884, Mrs. Rosana Maulden, consort of Mr. Abraham Maulden, of Worth County. Mrs. Maulden was born in 1824, in Montgomery County, Ga., and moved to Dooly County in 1846, and was married to Mr. Abraham Maulden in 1848, when they moved to Worth County, the place where she died. She embraced religion and joined the M. E. Church, South in 1878, from which time until the day of her death she lived a consistent Christian and in the full enjoyment of the religion she professed... John H. Taylor.

Vol. 18, #17, Thursday Morning, 24 Apr.1884:

Mr. Benjamin Denson, one of the old citizens of Pulaski County, died at his home on the east side of the river on Saturday last. Mr. Denson was about seventy years of age, and had been a citizen of this county for upward of forty years.

On Thursday morning of last week a shocking occurrence took place at Mr. Harrison Barlow's, a farmer living in the eastern portion of this county. Mr. Barlow sent his little son, aged about nine years, to the field with the

breakfast of some laborers, and failing to return in due time search was instituted, and he was found lying in the field suffering the agonies of a most horrible death... He lived only a few minutes after he was found, and was unable to tell anything about the terrible conflict, except that Mr. James Mullis' dog had attacked him... The victim of this sad and shocking occurrence was a nephew of Mr. J. S. Haskins, who gave us the particulars.

Vol. 18, #18, Thursday Morning, 1 May 1884:

Mrs. Jane E. Green, wife of Mr. John J. Green died of pneumonia at his home in Cochran on the 23d April, 1884. She was a lady highly esteemed by his friends and acquaintances.

Col. W. J. Williams and Miss Mollie Mizell were married at the residence of Mr. Andrew McRae, near Temperance, Telfair County, on Thursday, April 24th, by Rev. Mr. Henderson.

Mr. W. Robert Brown, and old citizen of Dooly County, died a few days ago, aged about seventy-four years. Mr. Brown had for a long time been troubled with deafness, caused by catarrh.

Mr. Tapley B. Owens died of pneumonia at his home eight miles south of Hawkinsville on Tuesday night, April 29, 1884, in the sixty-third year of his age. The funeral was preached today (Wednesday) at eleven o'clock at his residence by Rev. E. A. Burch, and the remains buried this afternoon at Wesley Chapel Church, of which Mr. Owens was a member.

Kindred Partin died in the eighty-fourth year of his age in Laurens County on the 20th April, 1884. He was the father of Mr. Pleas Partin and the grandfather of the Partin brothers of Hawkinsville. Speaking of his death the last issue of the Dublin Gazette says: From infancy, when prattling upon the knee of the deceased, we have known him personally and knew him to be honest, upright man none can say aught against his character. The good name he leaves behind is tribute sufficient to his memory. For many years he had been an earnest, faithful member of the Baptist Church.

Miss Beatrice Whitehead died at the home of her father, Mr. James A. Whitehead, near Vienna, Dooly County, on Wednesday morning, April 30, 1884, in the 27th year of her age. Her brother Mr. Reason Whitehead, came to Hawkinsville today for a coffin, and the burial will take place tomorrow (Thursday) at the family burial ground.

Vol. 18, #19, Thursday Morning, 8 May 1884:

Mrs. Andrews died in Cochran on Saturday night last aged about seventy-one years. She was the widow of Dr. Andrews, who lived a few miles below Hawkinsville during the war and was a sister of Mrs. M. A. Horne, of Dooly, and also sister of Rev. E. J. Rentz of Houston. Mrs. Andrews was on her way to live with her sister, Mrs. D. H. Coombs, in Laurens County. For several years past she had lived in Texas, but had decided to return to Georgia and pass the

remainder of her days with her people here. Her death occurred at the residence of her nephew, Mr. G. P. Stubbs, and probably resulted from fatigue occasioned by the long trip she had made by rail.

The Cochran correspondent of the Macon Telegraph furnishes that paper with the following items: Mr. William Counts and Mr. Thaddeus Bunn had a difficulty not long ago, wherein Mr. Bunn shot Mr. Counts, the ball missing its purposed object. On Saturday evening last the parties met at ... Mr. White's store close to Gainey's Mill near the Lauren County line (extreme upper portion of Pulaski County) and, probably under the influence of liquor, the trouble was renewed, wherein Mr. Bunn was shot three times with adominable pistol and died from the effects of the wounds on Sunday. Mr. Counts has not been arrested. Mr. Bunn was a grandson of the late Rev. Henry Bunn, of Twiggs County, and cousin of your fellow-townsman, Mr. B. M. Tarver. Both of the parties were in good standing in the neighborhood.

From the Dooly Vindicator: Mrs. Mary Coppedge, an estimable widow lady, died last Sunday night at the residence of her son, Mr. Billy Coppedge, about four miles from town, of consumption.

Mr. Perkins, the father-in-law of Mr. T. W. Brown, of Drayton, died several days since of typhoid pneumonia, at the advance age of eighty years. His remains were sent to his home at Union Springs, Ala., for interment...

In Memoriam: After a painful and lingering illness Miss Mary Walton Raiford departed this life at her home in Cochran, Ga., on the 19th day of November, 1883, aged twenty-three years, six months and fifteen days. She gave her heart to the Savior in June, 1880, and united with the First Baptist Church at Cochran at that time... A friend.

In Memory of Miss Estelle Gatewood. (Compiler's Note: A poem, with no dates or genealogical data.)

Vol. 18, #20, Thursday Morning, 15 May 1884:

Mrs. Eliza Tripp died at her home in Dodge County, a few miles east of Dubois, on Monday last, aged about fifty-two years. Her death was caused by cancer on the face. She was the widow of James Tripp, who died a few years ago.

Mr. F. F. Bell and Miss Linnie Graham, daughter of Hon. Wm. L. Graham, were married at the residence of the bride's father, in Vienna, Ga., on the 4th inst., Hon. J. D. Hargrove officiating the ceremony...

Mrs. Cordelia Bagby, wife of Mr. Julius A. Bagby, after a painful illness of several weeks, departed this life on Sunday last, in the 27th year of her age, leaving two bright little children - a boy and a girl - and a husband to mourn her death. The burial took place at the cemetery in Hawkinsville at ten o'clock on Monday morning. Mrs. Bagby's death resulted from consumption caused from an attack of pneumonia.

Mr. James Hicks Hodges, died in Hawkinsville on Saturday afternoon last, May 10, 1884, aged about sixty-two years. He died at the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. Joe Burrows, and the remains were immediately conveyed to Perry, Ga., where they were interred on Sunday last. Mr. Hodges was stricken with paralysis in September 1881, and had been in feeble health ever since. He was the father of Mr. John H. Hodges, editor of the Houston Home Journal, and besides his family in Hawkinsville he has three sons living in Texas. Many years ago Mr. Hodges was engaged in business in Oglethorpe and Vienna, in this state; afterward in Perry and Hayneville, moving to Hawkinsville about 1879.

From the Houston Home Journal of Thursday last: At 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, at the Methodist Church here Miss Emma Schilling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Schilling, was married to Mr. George F. Hendricks, of Cochran. Rev. E. M. Whiting officiating ... and from the church they went to the depot and took passage on the train for their future home at Cochran...

Hazelhurst, Ga., May 10, 1884: Mr. William Pickren, of this county, died at his home on last Sunday evening, May 4th, 1884. He died suddenly. He was seventy-nine years of age... Occasionally.

Chauncey, Ga., May 12... Mr. Lewis Litchfield, from Norton Hill, N.Y., departed this life last Sunday morning. He came to this place for his health. His physicians pronounced his case to be Bright's disease. W.A.Y.

From the Dooly Vindicator: Married, at the bride's father's in Drayton, last Sunday a.m., Mr. J. A. Patrick to Miss Mattie E. Brown. Mr. Patrick is an energetic and worthy young man of Sumter County, and Miss Mattie is one of Dooly most popular young ladies.

Obituary: Mrs. Elizabeth P. Martin, (nee Henderson) consort of John R. Martin, departed this life at her home in Cochran, Ga., on Sunday morning, March 16, 1884, in the thirty-sixth year of her age, of pneumonia. Deprived of her mother in infancy, God raised up for her a foster mother... She will be sadly missed by her devoted husband, from whom she was never separated longer than four weeks during a married life of eighteen years. She will be sadly missed by Mrs. Burkhalter, her foster mother... But, oh! how sadly will she be missed by Mack and Janie and poor little Johnny, her children! ...A friend.

Obituary: Died, at her father's residence, in Dooly County, Ga., on the 30th of April, 1884, Beatrice Whitehead 27 years... A victim of that dreadful disease, consumption, she was in feeble health for months... Three times in five short years has death invaded that once happy household, carrying off a brother and two lovely sisters... M.O.W. Dooly Vindicator, please copy.

Vol. 18, #21, Thursday Morning, 22 May 1884:

Mr. Mitchell Powell, a worthy and respected citizen of Dooly County, died last week.

Mrs. Annie Mason, wife of Mr. Willie N. Mason and daughter of Mr. Wm. A. Ferguson, died on Tuesday morning, May 20, 1884, of typhoid fever. The burial took place this (Wednesday) morning at the cemetery in Hawkinsville.

Mr. John H. Fenn, a well known and highly esteemed citizen of Dooly County, died very suddenly at his home a few miles south of Vienna on Saturday afternoon last. Death was caused from heart disease or apoplexy.

Death of Samuel Grace - The Disposition of His Estate - $500 for a Monument: Mr. Samuel Grace died at the home of his mother, Mrs. Nancy M. Johnson, in Houston County, on Monday afternoon, May 19, 1884. Mr. Grace was about fifty-five years of age, and was a bachelor... He requested that his body should not be buried until three days after his death, and requested that Major Pate, W. D. King and M. O'Brien have his grave walled up with brick... The hearse will be sent from Hawkinsville for the remains, which will be interred in the cemetery here on Thursday afternoon if they arrive in time. The distance is about twenty miles.

Chauncey, Ga., May 19: Mr. Thomas (Tom) Corbitt, the woodsman at Miller & Shearer's Mill, was killed by the falling of a tree in the woods near the end of their railroad. He was sitting by a stump tying his shoe when the tree crushed him to the ground, and badly mangled his head and leggs, from the effects of which he died. He came from Baxley, Appling County, Ga., about two months ago. W.A.Y.

Correspondence Hawkinsville Dispatch, Frazier, Ga., May 19: Mrs. Eliza Tripp, an estimable widow lady, died at her home on the 12th inst., aged fifty-seven or fifty-eight years. She died of a cancer on her face. She leaves several children, grandchildren and other relatives to mourn her untimely death...

Vol. 18, #22, Thursday Morning, 29 May 1884:

Mr. Lunsford Pitts, died in Florida on the 15th of May 1884, of consumption. He formerly lived at Hayneville, in Houston County, and will be remembered as the young man who was employed in the store of Messrs. F. H. & C. C. Bozeman, in Hawkinsville, from 1878 to 1882. His father was the late Burton Pitts.

We received at our office on Saturday last a very pleasant visit from Hon. A. J. Polhill, who is a brother of Mrs. James Oliver Jelks, and uncle of the Jelks brother of this place. Mr. Polhill has spent about a month with his relatives, but will leave in a few days for his home at Bellville, Hamilton County, Florida. He moved to Hamilton County in 1855, soon after returning from California, where he spent six years during the gold excitement on the Pacific. Among those who moved from Pulaski and the adjoining counties to Hamilton County, Florida from 1845 to 1855, were James L. Carruthers, Ed Isaac, Daniel Mathews, James Oliver Jelks, Sam Robuck, Pleasant Robuck, William Robuck, D. T. Cross, Jacob Shiver, Isaac Shiver and Bone Shiver. Sam Robuck is still living, and also D. T. Cross. James L. Carruthers moved from Florida to Alabama, and is perhaps still living. James Oliver Jelks returned to Hawkinsville several years ago, and died here last summer, having celebrated

his golden wedding a short time before his death. Capt. John R. Stapler, father of Messrs. Richard L. and James Stapler moved to Hamilton County about 1844. All of the old settlers from Pulaski are dead except Mr. Polhill, Sam Robuck, D. T. Cross and James L. Carruthers, but Hamilton County is well peopled with the descendants of these immigrants...

Vol. 18, #23, Thursday Morning, 5 Jun.1884:

Joseph Padgett Killed by His Brother Stephen - Citizens of Laurens County: The Padgett's lived in Laurens County, and the Dublin Gazette of the 29th ult gives the following details of the horrible affair: ...Seven miles west of Dublin Mr. Stephen L. Padgett lives on his farm, and for the present year a younger brother, about twenty has been living with him. They seemed not to have agreed for some time, and several quarrels and disputes have been the only result, until the sad tragedy of the 26th. Then culminated a difficulty, which made Joseph Padgett a corpse... After the shooting he lived only a few minutes. W. B. Padgett, a brother of the parties (made a statement at the inquest). The verdict was "justifiable homicide".

The Berrien County News informs us of the death of Wiley Whitley, Sr., at his home in Irwin County, Ga., on Wednesday, May 21, 1884. The deceased was upward of seventy years of age, and was one of the early settlers of Irwin... He leaves a large family connection. Hon. Wiley Whitley, ex-ordinary of Irwin, is, we believe, the oldest of his sons.

Killed In Bed - The Sad and Mysterious Death of Joseph B. Dykes. It is a painful duty to chronicle the loss of a worthy and exemplary young man under such circumstances as those surrounding the death of Mr. Joseph B. Dykes, at Cochran, on Saturday night last. Mr. Dykes had retired to bed at the usual hour. About one o'clock his wife heard him struggling and breathing as if with great difficulty. She called to him, but received no answer. Her repeated calls brought no response. She placed her hand upon his head, and found it wet... The light of the lamp revealed that the hand and arm of Mrs. Dykes were wet with blood... Among the first to reach the same was Mr. B. B. Dykes, the aged father of the young man... The deceased was about twenty-nine years of age, and the youngest son of Mr. B. B. Dykes... The grief of his widow and his aged father and brother and sister cannot be realized, besides, he leaves two little children. The remains were buried on Monday at the family burial ground near Coley Station. (Compiler's Note: At the coroner's inquest it was stated this occurred about one o'clock Sunday morning 1 June, 1884... He died about 2 o'clock.)

Vol. 18, #24, Thursday Morning, 12 Jun.1884:

This issue is missing.

Vol. 18, #25, Thursday Morning, 19 Jun.1884:

Mrs. Jane W. Jones died at her residence near the Baptist Church, in Hawkinsville, at eleven o'clock on Sunday last, June 15, 1884, in the fifty-

seventh year of her age. She died from paralysis, with which she was stricken on the evening of the 7th inst. Mrs. Jones was an estimable lady and a devoted mother. She leaves four daughters and one son ex-marshal Thomas S. Jones. Mrs. Jones was the widow of Stephen M. Jones, who, with his family, moved to this section from Calhoun, Gordon County, during the late war. Mr. Jones died her in 1871.

We learn that Mr. George W. Hamans, of Irwin County, died on the 7th inst. It will be remembered that Mr. Hamans had a difficulty with Mr. Jack Sumner in January last, and in the fight Mr. Hamans had his finger bitten. The wound refused to heal, and the system became poisoned from foul blood. He died later from poisoned that had circulated in the blood.

Died, at her home in Irwin County, on the 6th of June, 1884, Mrs. Frances, wife of Allen King, aged fifty years, two months and eight days, after a lingering illness of four years... She leaves an aged husband and nine children to mourn her loss, besides a multitude of friends who will sadly miss her... M.R.

Obituary: Died, at the residence of his father's in Worth County, near Warwick, on the 28th May last, little George Gleaton, son of Mr. John and Mrs. Lon Gleaton, aged eleven years, eleven months and twenty-nine days... A friend.

Our citizens deeply sympathize with Mrs. M. S. Cook in the death of her daughter and only child, Mrs. O. F. Miller, who departed this life at her home in Atlanta on the 5th of June 1884, in the thirty-fifth year of her age. The following tribute was written by a lady friend and appeared in the Atlanta Constitution of Sunday, June 8th: (Same information above, except) Aged thirty-four years, eleven months and one day... After appropriate and beautiful services, performed by Rev. Mr. Glenn, of the First Methodist Church, she was laid away with loving care and tenderness in Oakland Cemetery. Kind, loving husband, your Leita is not dead, but sleeping... A friend. The Wesleyan Christian Advocate please copy.

Vol. 18, #26, Thursday Morning, 26 Jun.1884:

The subject of the following sketch, Mr. Jacob Paulk, was born in Jefferson County, Georgia, on the 9th of May 1796, and died at his home in Irwin County, Georgia, on the 18th instant, from old age and infirmity, at the advanced age of 88 years, 1 month and 9 days. His remains were committed to the silent tomb in the presence of a large concourse of relatives and friends on the following day in the family burial ground near the place where he erected his first dwelling when he came to the county, some sixty odd years ago... About the year 1822 he was married to Miss Catherine Henderson, the eldest daughter of a family of that name who originally came from North Carolina in the early settlement of this section. She is still living, and notwithstanding her extreme age, was able to follow the remains of her constant and devoted companion to their last resting place. They raised a large family of children, six sons and five daughters... On the 21st day of June 1834, he united himself with the Baptist Church of the Primitive faith and order, at what was known as Dorminey's or Young's Meeting House, the writer is not

certain which, but which is now Brushy Creek Church, where his membership has remained all the time till his death. He was a deacon of the church... A relative, Irwin Co, Ga., June 20, 1884.

Vol. 18, #27, (Date omitted), 3 Jul.1884:

This issue contained only one page, mostly legal notices.

The death of Mr. James P. Williamson on Sunday night last was a surprise to the comminity, and a severe loss to his family and to Hawkinsville. He was a prosperous merchant, and for several years had been associated with Mr. J. J. Joiner, the frim being known as Joiner & Williamson...

Vol. 18, #28, Thursday Morning, 10 Jul.1884:

Mr. Edward Jackson, a native of England, died at his home in Perry, Houston County, Ga., last week, in the 65th year of his age. He was a member of the I.O.O.F. of Perry.

In Memory: Little Ida, eldest child of Mr. and Mrs. Loam Brown, of Wilcox County, died at the residence of her grandmother, Mrs. Thos. King, in this county, June 28, 1884., aged 4 years, 7 months and 22 days. She was sick only a few hours. (Cause of death not given). Z.E.T.

In Memoriam: Jim Williamson. (No dates or genealogical data)

Obituary: Thursday, June 19th, Mrs. Mary Ann Hill was to all appearances the embodiment of health till eleven o'clock p.m., when she was taken very suddenly with disease at the heart, and ere an hour had elapsed she had passed over the dark waters, and on Saturday following, her remains were laid to rest. To her aged husband, children, grandchildren, and her many friends, the blow falls with crushing, agonizing force. Mrs. Hill, nee Miss. Nicholson, was born in Scriven County, Ga., August 17, 1825, and there lived with her parents, Thomas and Mary Ann Nicholson, till 1847, when they moved to Dooly County. She was married to Mr. Joe Hill in July 1852, with whom she lived a dutifull and devoted wife, till they were separated by the cold hand of death... Mrs. Hill united herself with the Methodist Church in early youth... A friend, June 30, 1884.

Mr. Willie E. Powell, of Hawkinsville, and Miss Minnie L. Fenn, of Dooly, were married at the residence of Mr. F. S. Davies, in Vienna, Ga., on the 5th inst., by Hon. J. D. Hargrove.

Hon. James E. Boothe, of this county, and Miss Addie Hickman, of Tampa, Florida, were married at that place on Thursday last, July 3d, by Rev. Mr. Philips. Mr. Boothe and his bride arrived at their home in Cochran last week.

There was much surprise and general regret at the announcement of the death of Mr. James P. Williamson at his residence in Hawkinsville on Sunday night,

June 29, 1884. Mr. Williamson was about thirty-one years of age, and besides his mother and two sisters he leaves a widow and one child. He was a brother of Mrs. Judge A. C. Pate...

From Dooly Vindicator: Mrs. Susan Grantham, of the 6th District of Dooly County, who was something over 100 years old, died last Thursday night very suddenly. As she got up to go to retire she began to stagger about, and when asked what was the matter, she replied that she was not feeling very well, and went on to bed where she died in a few minutes. She leaves eleven children to mourn her departure.

Vol. 18, #29, Thursday Morning, 17 Jul.1884:

The little daughter of Mr. J. P. Brown died on the 5th inst., and was buried at the cemetery in this place on the 6th.

Little Leonora, the four months old child of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. W. Elks, of this place, died on Tuesday evening last after a brief illness.

Mrs. Eliza Bullington, wife of Rev. Reuben Bullington, died at her home in the Third District of Dooly County, on the 4th of this month.

Hon. John B. Lewis, who moved from Dooly County to Florida a few years ago, died in that state about three weeks ago, aged seventy years. He was the grandfather of Mr. Robert G. Lewis, of this place.

Married at Arabi, in Dooly County, on Thursday, 10th inst., Mr. Marcus Raney and Miss Dovey Pitts. The bride is a daughter of Mr. Hardy Pitts, one of Dooly's most substantial citizens...

Suicide of L. T. McColl - A Former Citizen of Dooly County Takes His Life at a Hotel in Thomasville. The body was turned over to the sexton who buried it yesterday morning in Laural Hill Cemetery. He left no effects, only five cents being found on his person. (He married a Miss Swearingen, who died a few years ago).

Vol. 18, #30, Thursday Morning, 24 Jul.1884:

A child of Mr. J. W. McLemore, of this county, was buried at the cemetery in this place on Monday evening.

Sidney Dyches, the little two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. C. Taylor, of Pine Level, died on Thursday last and was buried at the cemetery in this place Friday evening.

Eastman, Ga., July 21: Little Russell, about one year of age, infant child of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Roberts, died yesterday and will be buried to-day; A little more than one week ago the innocent spirit of a little child of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Peacock returns to the God who gave it...; Mrs. William Deffenal passed from life and was consigned to the grave last Friday evening; The elopement

and marriage of Mr. H. C. Tarver and Miss Pearle Paul last Thursday evening was a social event of much interest in Eastman. The couple was married by the Methodist pastor, Rev. H. C. Brewton, at the residence of the Baptist minister, Rev. P. A. Jessup... They have since left and gone to the home of the groom's parents in South Georgia...; July 22. Another home in this community was invaded yesterday by the messenger of death. This morning the dull notes of the muffled bell sounded the sad intelligence of the death of Mr. James Powell's little child, who resides near Eastman. To-day therefore our people are called upon to attend the fourth burial within ten or twelve days. J.B.,Jr.

Chauncey Items: Mr. Henry Fleetwood, the condition of whom I made mention in my last letter, died last Monday night, and was interred in the Chauncey Cemetery on Tuesday. None of his relatives have seen him since he was stricken down by the fatal disease that killed him. He said that he was a first-cousin of Dr. Fleetwood, of Hawkinsville, and had a daughter near Savannah worth $10,000... Yam Yam.

Vol. 18, #31, Thursday Morning, 31 Jul.1884:

Mrs. W. L. Wood died at Abbeville in Wilcox County, on Sunday last. The deceased was formerly a resident of Blackville, S.C., and her remains were brought to Hawkinsville on Monday and placed on the train to be carried to that place for interment.

Mr. William Eldridge, a highly respected citizen of Dooly County, died at his home near Arabi on Thursday last, 24th inst., after a few weeks illness of dropsy. Mr. Eldridge was perhaps the oldest citizen of his county, having attained the advanced age of eithty-three years.

We find the following marriage notice in last week's issue of the Dublin Post. The groom is well known in Hawkinsville and we join his many friends here in tendering him congratulations. At the residence of the bride's father, Rev. W. S. Ramsey, on the 20th inst., at 8 o'clock p.m., Miss Alice V. Ramsey, was married to Prof. James B. Sanders. Rev. W. S. Ramsey officiating...

From Dublin Post: Mr. Alex. Outlaw, the oldest citizen of this county, died at his home on the east side of the Oconee River last Saturday morning, 19th inst., and was buried near Rev. J. M. Donaldson's the day following. He was born on the 25th day of June, 1784, and when he departed he was 100 years and twenty-four days old...

Vol. 18, #32, Thursday Morning, 7 Aug.1884:

Rev. James Dunwoody died in Houston County last week in the ninety-fifth year of his age. He was the oldest Methodist preacher in Georgia, perhaps the oldest in the United States, having been a minister for nearly seventy-five years. Everybody loved and revered the old man.

THE HAWKINSVILLE DISPATCH, HAWKINSVILLE, GEORGIA

Vol. 18, #33, Thursday Morning, 14 Aug.1884:

From Houston Home Journal: Died, on last Thursday evening, 31st ult., little William Erwin, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Houser...

Mr. Lonnie Gammage, a promising young man of Dooly County, died on Monday, 4th inst., after a brief illness.

From Berrien County News: Mr. Michael Pope, of Alapaha died on the 29th ult., very suddenly at Mr. G. W. Guests, one of his son-in-law. Mr. Pope was the father of Mrs. N. A. Brown, of this place, and moulded, burned the brick, and put up the first brick chimney in the model little city of Hawkinsville. He was eighty-two years old.

Obituary: Died, at her residence in Telfair County, on the 29th day of July, 1884, Mrs. Louisa Willcox, wife of Hon. John Willcox, deceased, aged sixty-eight years, nine months and fourteen days. Mrs. Willcox was the daughter of Rev. Wilson Conner, a Baptist minister, well known in Georgia, and distinguished for his eloquence and piety. As a daughter, sister, wife, mother or friend, Mrs. Willcox was inferior to none in discharging the duties of the same, and since the year of 1852 she lived and died a member of the Baptist church...

Vol. 18, #34, Thursday Morning, 21 Aug.1884:

From the Macon Telegraph: The announcement of the death of Col. C. S. Guyton, of Laurens County, who married Miss Carrie Boifeuillet, of this city, will be received with deep regret by his many friends, not only in Macon but all throughout Georgia, where he was well known by reason of the political positions he has held. He has frequently represented his county and district in the House and Senate of the State Legislature, and was at the time of his death the Senator from his district. Mr. John T. Boifeuillet received a telegram from Mrs. Guyton yesterday morning, announcing that Col. Guyton had died Thursday night at ten o'clock from a stroke of paralysis (he had Bright's disease). (His body is to be interred in the family burying ground in Laurens County). He was a devoted husband, loving father, and true friend. He leaves an aged mother, a wife and four small children.

Mrs. C. M. Rawls died in Hawkinsville on Sunday last, 17th inst. Mrs. Rawls was the mother of Mrs. L. M. Lamar of this place, and was about 80 years old.

From the Dooly Vindicator: Died, of congestion last Saturday night near Snow, Ga., Mr. Willie Netherton, son of Mr. J. Y. Netherton; Mr. Richard Hudson died of congestive chill at his home in the 3rd District of this county last Thursday night; Married at the residence of the bride, in the 2nd District of this county, Mr. Jas. Edwards to his sister-in-law, Mrs. Laura Edwards, last Sunday a.m. Rev. M. C. Jordan officiating.

Vol. 18, #35, Thursday Morning, 28 Aug.1884:

Mrs. Bateman, wife of Mr. Green W. Bateman, of this county, died on Friday morning, August 22, 1884.

Mrs. Owens, widow of the late Tapley B. Owens, died at her home on Cedar Creek, in this county, on the 20th inst.

The twelve year old son of Mr. Henry Rainey died on Saturday last, and the one year old daughter of Mr. William Kupferman died on Friday evening last.

Mr. Chas. A. Love, formerly of Hawkinsville, was united in marriage with Miss Katie W. Brewster at the Church of the Holy Cross in Sanford, Fla., on Tuesday morning last, 21st inst.

Mrs. Mary E. Law, wife of Mr. A. J. Law, died at the home of her mother in Dodge County on the 22d August, 1884, aged about twenty-two years.

Married, at the residence of Mr. W. J. Hall, in Pulaski County, by Rev. T. J. Adams, on the evening of the 21st inst., Mr. Charles S. Harvey, of Wilcox, and Miss Lizzie Ida Hall.

Mr. John Allen Thompson, son of Mr. Benjamin B. and Mrs. Susan A. Thompson, died at his home near Snow Spring, Dooly County, on the 18th August, 1884, on the twenty-first year of his age.

Mrs. Mollie McGriff, wife of P. T. McGriff, Jr., and daughter of the late Abner L. Tippett, died at her home at Pine Mount, Suwannee County, Florida, on Monday, August 25, 1884, aged about twenty-seven years, leaving two small children and a babe. The remains will be brought to Hawkinsville and buried by the side of her father in Orange Hill Cemetery on Thursday afternoon, the funeral procession going from the depot to the grave. Services by Rev. E. J. Coates.

Mr. Morris Pollock died at the home of his son-in-law Mr. William Culpepper, in Wilcox County, on Wednesday, August 20, 1884, aged eighty-four years and three weeks. The remains were buried at the old family burial ground on the place of Mr. D. H. Hendley, in Pulaski County, on the 21st inst. Mr. Pollock was one of the two oldest men in Pulaski County. He was one of the original settlers of Houston County, and moved to this county about thirty-five years ago. He was the father of our present Tax Collector, Mr. E. A. Pollock, and also of Mrs. D. G. McCormick and Mrs. William Culpepper. He was never connected with any church by membership, but in faith was a staunch Primitive Baptist.

Vol. 18, #36, Thursday Morning, 4 Sep.1884:

Mr. Bright Curry, of Chauncy, Dodge County, died last week in Savannah. He was a son of Mr. Angus Curry, one of the best men of our country...

Vol. 18, #37, Thursday Morning, 11 Sep.1884:

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, in Wilcox County, by Rev. Thos. J. Adams, on the evening of the 4th inst., Mr. David M. Harvey, and Miss Bessie Fountain, daughter of Mr. John L. Fountain. The groom was eighteen years of age, and the bride sixteen...

Dr. Thomas C. Mitchell, an old citizen of Wilcox County, died very suddenly on the 30th of last month. A few years ago he was stricken with paralysis, from which he never fully recovered. On Saturday the 30th day of last month, he was up and attending to business. After partaking of a hearty dinner he arose and walked out to the piazza and fell dead. He was about seventy years of age, and was the only living brother of Dr. Batts N. Mitchell, now living in Orange County, Florida.

Vol. 18, #38, Thursday Morning, 18 Sep.1884:

Mrs. Reid, widow of the late Hon. Geo. R. Reid, of Wilcox County, died at her home in that county on Thursday last, aged sixty-nine years.

Marshal Alonzo Gilbert, of Cochran, and Miss Mary E. Sharon, step-daughter of Mr. B. B. Dykes, were married at the residence of the bride's parents in Cochran on Sunday last.

We have received the meagre intelligence of the sudden death of Mr. Elijah Pickren, a well known and esteemed citizen of Coffee County. The sad event occurred on Friday, 5th September instant, and was very sudden. Mr. Pickren was at his horse lot, when he was stricken with paralysis or heart disease, and dropped dead. Mr. Pickren settled in Coffee County about the year 1839, as we find by reffering to a file of the Dispatch of 1879 giving some statistics of Coffee. He continued to dwell and died upon the place he settled in 1839, having made it his home for forty-nine years. He was the father-in-law of Mr. Woodson L. Wilcox and Mr. J. Wilcox, who was recently nominated for Senator of the Fifth District.

Died in Pulaski County, August 30th 1884, little Joseph Antony Pate Watson, youngest child of Joseph and Lucinda Watson, aged one year and one month... W.T.B., September 1884.

Obituary: Mrs. Sarah J. Owens died at her home in Pulaski County, August 20, 1884... Her illness was so brief and her death sudden, none being warned of her condition... W.T.B., September 1884.

Mr. Walter Choate, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Choate, of this place died very suddenly on Tuesday night last, having been confined to his bed only a day or two. Mr. Choate was about twenty-one years of age, and was a young man of much promise...

Mr. George Carruthers, aged about eighteen years, died on Saturday last of congestion of the brain and bowels at the home of his mother, Mrs. Emma L.

Carruthers, on the east side of the river. The remains were brought to Hawkinsville on Sunday evening and interred in Orange Hill Cemetery.

Deaths from the Cochran Messenger of last week: It is our sad duty this week to chronicle the sudden and untimely death of Mrs. Joseph White, who died last Wednesday, at her home near Goldsboro, in this county. Mrs. White was a daughter of Mr. James E. Boothe, one of Pulaski's most prosperous planters. She was known to everyone in this section as Miss. "Donie" Boothe. She was in Cochran about three weeks ago and seemed in the best of health, but was stricken with malarial fever, which was a most stubborn type, and did its work quickly. She leaves a husband and a host of relatives and friends to mourn her loss; The community was also shocked last Wednesday at the announcement of the sudden and unexpected death of Mr. James B. Killen, son of Mrs. B. B. Dykes, and a very worthy young farmer. Mr. Killen was in Cochran last Saturday in his usual health. Late that evening he had a slight fever, which soon left him and to all appearance he was as well as ever. On Tuesday morning he was taken with a congestive chill and died Tuesday night. He leaves a wife and two small children, who have sympathy of the entire community. The remains were interred in the family burying ground on Wednesday...

On Monday evening last Mr. H. C. Pickett, of Hawkinsville received a telegram that his brother, Mike B. Pickett, Chief Clerk, had been killed by the explosion of the boiler of the cotton compress at Eufaula, Alabama, that evening. Mr. Pickett left Hawkinsville on the first train, and proceeded to Eufaula. (From other articles it appears the date of the accident was September 15th.)

Vol. 18, #39, Thursday Morning, 25 Sep.1884:

Mr. Jno. L. Anderson's little son Frank, aged five years, died at his home in this county on Wednesday of last week.

Obituary: Mr. Elijah Pickren, of Coffee County, who departed this life Friday, September 5, 1884, at his home...

Vol. 18, #40, Thursday Morning, 2 Oct.1884:

Obituary: Alonzo Gammage died at his father's residence in Dooly County, Ga., on the 4th day of August 1884, aged 19 years, 2 months and 17 days. He was the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Gammage. Lonny died after a few days' suffering... A friend.

From Montezuma Record: Information reached Montezuma on Tuesday morning that Ebb Westbrook, son of Mr. E. W. Westbrook, died at the plantation of his father near Drayton, Dooly County, on the evening before, of that dreaded and fatal disease - the low country yellow fever... His remains were carried to Beulah, in Houston County and buried on Wednesday morning...

Vol. 18, #41, Thursday Morning, 9 Oct.1884:

Mr. John D. Wynne received a telegram last Monday morning from Gainesville, Cook County, Texas, announcing the death of his son, Charlie Wynne... Mr. Wynne telegraphed Mr. Dudley to have the remains decently interred at Gainesville, at it was impossible to have them transported such a distance this warm weather... (Compiler's Note: It is supposed that he died from natural causes, as no particulars have yet been received.)

From the Dooly Vindicator of last week: Died at her residence, in this county on last Wednesday, Mrs. Eurastis Bryan. She was a strict member of the Methodist Church and ever held sacred her precious hopes beyond the grave...; Mr. Alexander Wright, of this county, left for Hawkinsville with cotton last Wednesday morning and one of his twin daughters, a charming young lady just verging into womanhood, died that night.

Mr. Durham Bowen, one of the oldest citizens of Houston County, died on Monday last at his home near Henderson in the 87th year of his age.

Uncle Buck McCall, a worthy and upright citizen, died at his home in Wilcox County on Tuesday last, October 7th, aged seventy-eight years and nine months. He never was connected with any church, but lived a moral and exemplary life.

A most shocking occurrence took place in Houston County last Saturday, the details of which are given as followis by a correspondent of the Macon Telegraph: Yesterday morning at 9 o'clock Mr. Rountree Bryant met with a frightful accident, resulting in his death last night at 8 o'clock. While running the water gin of Mr. W. H. Houser, on Mossy Creek, seven miles from here, his entire left arm was drawn into the saws, horribly mangling it and fastening it so that it took a half hour to get him loose, which was done by taking the gin to pieces. Drs. Ross and Green, of Fort Valley, were sent for and ampulated the arm above the elbow, but the shock and previous loss of blood proved fatal. Mr. Bryant was a worthy and estimable young man and leaves a wife, two young children, and many relatives and friends to mourn his untimely death.

Vol. 18, #42, Thursday Morning, 16 Oct.1884:

Mrs. Sarah Whitehead died at the residence of Mrs. James M. Hamilton, in Hawkinsville, on the 8th Oct., 1884, aged about seventy-four years. She was the mother of Mrs. Hamilton and widow of the late B. E. Whitehead, of Dooly.

Married at the residence of the bride's mother near Hawkinsville, on the evening of the 8th inst., by Rev. E. J. Coates, Mr. J. F. Kellam, of Atlanta, and Miss Mattie Coley, daughter of the late Capt. G. R. Coley, of this county.

News has been received in Hawkinsville of the death of Rev. B. J. Smith, of the Florida Conference. He was transferred from the North Georgia Conference to Florida about two years ago. He married Miss Clifford Rawls, a daughter of

Daniel Rawls, an old merchant and citizen of Hawkinsville.

After a lingering illness, Mr. Charles B. Chancey died at his home in Hawkinsville on the evening of the 13th Oct., 1884, aged fifty-two years. Mr. Chancey had been a merchant and citizen of this place for many years, and had been a member of the town council for several terms. He leaves a widow, but no children. The burial took place this (Wednesday) morning at Orange Hill Cemetery.

Mr. Wm. D. King, Jr., died at the home of his father, postmaster King, in Hawkinsville, on Tuesday evening, Oct.,14, 1884. Willie King was about twenty-eight years of age, and had been assistant postmaster under his father for about ten years, in fact he had been connected with the postoffice nearly ever since his father became postmaster at this place fourteen years ago... Two years ago he was attacked with consumption, and for a year past he had been unable to discharge any duty at the office... To his father and brother and his sisters, however, he expressed his willingness to die, and resignation to death. The remains were buried this (Wednesday) afternoon at Orange Hill Cemetery.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Rev. J. M. Wilcox, on the evening of the 9th inst., at 7 o'clock, Mr. Thomas L. Pickren and Miss Kathleen G. Wilcox. Rev. W. F. Roberts officiated. All of Coffee County... J.E.P.

Vol. 18, #43, Thursday Morning, 23 Oct.1884:

From the Houston Home Journal of the 16th: Little Mattie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Watson, died at the home of her parents, in the upper 11th district, on Sunday the 15th inst. She was about nine years old, a bright, obedient and good child; Mrs. J. S. Thompson died at the residence of her husband in the sixth district of this county, on Wednesday of last wee, the 8th inst. Her death was very sudden, the cause being a heart affection; On last Tuesday Mrs. Chaney DuPree died at the residence of her son, Mr. W. I. DuPree, in Perry, after an illness of one week. She came home sick from a visit to Columbus. The internment took place yesterday in the family burial ground near Houston Factory.

From the Cochran Messenger: Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Burns' little baby girl, about a year old, died last Saturday night. It was attacked with a congestive chill and its death very sudden. This sweet little girl was their only child.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Walker's infant boy, aged about two months, died last Sunday night. The child had been sick for some time, and though it had the best medical attention Death seemed to have set his seal upon it.

Mrs. Saunders, living about four miles from town, died last Saturday. We did not learn the cause of her death. She leaves a husband and nine children.

Mr. John L. Anderson's little son Ruel, aged eight years, died of hemorrhagic fever yesterday morning. The burial took place this (Wednesday) morning at

Orange Hill Cemetery in this place.

Mrs. Almeta Sullivan, nee Miss Rozar, and Mr. A. J. Moore, of Florida, were married at the residence of the bride's mother in this place on the 14th inst., by Rev. E. J. Coates.

Mrs. Callie Gaines, wife of Alexander P. Gaines, died of congestion at Drayton, in Dooly County, on the 14th inst. She leaves a husband and four children and a large circle of friends and relatives to mourn her loss. She was a good woman, and was loved by all who knew her. D.

Married, by Rev. W. F. Roberts, at the residence of the bride's father, Hon. J. M. Wilcox, on the evening of the 12th of October, 1884, Mr. Milton G. Hogan, of Irwin County, and Miss Lola V. Wilcox, of Coffee County... A brother.

Vol. 18, #44, Thursday Morning, 30 Oct.1884:

Elder A. King, of the Primitive Baptist Church, died very suddenly at his home near Byron, Houston County, on the 20th inst. His remains were buried at Fort Valley by the side of those of his wife, who was killed by a cyclone a few years ago.

An infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R. Glover died at their home in this place on Sunday night last.

Mr. David C. Mann, a well known citizen and former ordinary of Wilcox County, died at his home in that county on Sunday night. His daughter died the same night, there being only about one hour's difference between their deaths.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. William Ridley, on Wednesday, 22nd inst., Mr. Thomas L. Stephens and Miss Orlena Ridley, Rev. T. J. Adams officiating. All of Pulaski County.

Mr. Duncan Cameron died at the home of his son-in-law, ex-Senator D. W. Cameron, in Telfair County on the evening of 21 October, 1884, aged about seventy-eight years. The deceased was the father of Hon. A. J. Cameron, the well known and popular Messenger of the Georgia Senate. The remains were buried at Sand Hill Church on the 22d inst.

Vol. 18, #45, Thursday Morning, 6 Nov.1884:

Capt. James S. Leith died at his home in Hawkinsville on Monday night last, aged sixty-eight years. The remains were buried at the cemetery on Tuesday. Capt. Leith was an old and popular citizen of Pulaski, and at one time if we are not mistaken, represented the county in the Georgia Legislature...

Vol. 18, #46, Thursday Morning, 13 Nov.1884:

Mr. Jesse Berry died at his home in Dooly County on Tuesday, Oct. 28th.

On Saturday, the 8th inst., at about 9 o'clock a.m., the family of Mrs. E. A. Tarver gathered around her bedside to bid a last adieu to the spirit taking its flight to a happier land above. Mrs. Tarver was fifty-six years old. She leaves two grandsons, one of whom, Mr. Josephus Tarver, is foreman of the Dispatch office. Her remains were interred at Orange Hill Cemetery at 3 o'clock p.m. Sunday...

From Eastman, Nov. 10: Mr. George Currell, or Cochran, and Miss Annie Hamilton, of Eastman, were married yesterday at the home of the bride's mother in this place...

Died, at the residence of his father, R. C. Smith, in Pulaski County, on the morning of Nov.2nd, 1884, little Wiley P. Smith. He like a few months of being ten years old... He was buried at the family burying ground on Bluff Creek. Rev. R. O. Holton officiated... R.O.H.

Vol. 18, #47, Thursday Morning, 20 Nov.1884:

Mr. Jeff D. Mashburn and Miss Mary Bowen, daughter of Mr. Robert V. Bowen, were married at the residence of the bride's parents, in Hawkinsville, on Sunday afternoon last. Rev. J. W. Mashburn officiating. R.O.H.

Mrs. Nancy Johnson, aged about seventy-five, died at her home in Houston County on Sunday. Death resulted from a stroke of paralysis. Mrs. Johnson was a sister of Dr. John Laidler, and the mother of Mr. Sam Grace, who died last spring. The burial took place at the cemetery in Hawkinsville.

Mrs. Fannie Taylor, wife of Robert J. Taylor, the druggist, died at her home in Hawkinsville on Thursday night, November 13, 1884, in the 27th year of her age. The announcement of her death on Friday morning last made many sad hearts. The burial took place in Orange Hill Cemetery on Friday afternoon.

The Macon Telegraph of Thursday last says: A happy marriage was solemnized in Twiggs County yesterday afternoon at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Henry Solomon. Mr. Beverly Winn, of Cochran, was married to Miss Lucy Solomon, by Rev. P. W. Edge... The young people left for Cochran last night.

The Macon Telegraph of Friday last gave the following account of the marriage of Mr. M. T. Grace of Hawkinsville, and Miss Blalock, of Barnesville: The marriage in Barnesville on Wednesday night of Mr. M. T. Grace, of Hawkinsville, and Miss. Fannie Blalock is described as being one of the most elaborate and happiest that has taken place in that section in many years. The ceremony was performed by Dr. Young, in the parlors of Mr. A. J. Blalock, the bride's father.

Mrs. Matilda Marchman, wife of James Marchman, deceased, died at her home in Houston County on October 19th, 1884, aged seventy-nine years, one month and twenty days. She had a long illness of nearly seven years. Her husband had been dead ten years and six days when she died. She has two daughters dead, and leaves two sons and two daughter to mourn her loss... She has been a

member of the Methodist Church from girlhood... T.H.M.

Mr. George W. Hodge died at his home near Frazier, in Pulaski County, Ga., on the 5th day of November, 1884, in the fifty-first year of his age. He was the oldest son of Mr. Elisha Hodge, of Dodge County, who is now in the 78th year of his age.

Vol. 18, #48, Thursday Morning, 27 Nov.1884:

This issue missing.

Vol. 18, #49, Thursday Morning, 4 Dec.1884:

Dr. Chas. E. Taylor and Miss Ida G. Thompson were married at the residence of the bride's parents in Cochran on Thursday last, November 27th, Rev. Geo. Clarke officiating.

Mr. J. F. Coney, of Hawkinsville, and Miss Lee Wimberly, of Houston County, were united in marriage at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. E. H. Wimberly, near Hayneville on Wednesday last, 26th ult.

Mrs. Maggie Mathews, wife of Mr. Green C. Mathews, died of pneumonia on Thursday last, 27th ult. The deceased was a daughter of Mr. Jas. J. Kinchen, one of Pulaski's most highly respected citizens.

A large crowd assembled at St. Luke's Episcopal Church in this place on Wednesday evening last, 26th ult., to witness the marriage of Mr. John F. Lewis, Jr. and Miss Mary Lee Lamar. Bishop Beckwith performing the ceremony. ...his bride is a daughter of Col. Lucius M. Lamar...

Ceremony: James Bishop, Jr. - Minnie Douglas - M.E. Church, Tabolton, Ga., Tuesday, November 25, 1884, 1.30 o'clock... The couple left immediately after the ceremony for Eastman, and there was a reception on Monday evening at the home of the groom.

Eastman, Ga., Dec. 1,1884: After a brief confinement with consumption, Mr. Jule Herrman died yesterday, and his remains will be taken to Macon for interment today...

Mr. Enoch W. Aldridge died at his home in the Third District of Dooly County on Wednesday night, November 26, 1884, aged about thirty years. The physician pronounced his disease bilious remittent fever. Mr. Aldridge was a son-in-law of Mr. Jerry Broxton, and left a widow and two children.

On Wednesday night, November 26, 1884, Mr. Tillman Peavy died at the home of his father, Mr. Green B. Peavy, near Eureka, Dooly County. The deceased was about twenty-seven years old, and for two or three years past had resided in Florida for the benefit of his health...

Vol. 18, #50, Thursday Morning, 11 Dec.1884:

Mrs. Rachel Pate, wife of Mr. James D. Pate, died at her home in the Fourteenth District of Dooly County, on the 3d day of December, 1884, aged about thirty-nine years.

On the 8th day of December 1884, Mrs. Mary Pate died at the home of her son Mr. John S. Pate, in the Fourteenth District of Dooly County, aged about sixty-five years. She was the wife of Mr. Elijah B. Pate, one of the old settlers of Dooly County. She died after an illness of only five days, having become ill on the day of the death of her daughter-in-law...

Died at his residence in Dodge County, on Sunday, November 30th, John Ryals, Esq., in the sixty-fifth year of his age... As a husband he was kind and provided bountifully for the welfare of his family. As a father he was devoted to his children...so in early youth he became a member of the Baptist Church... W.

Mr. Thomas N. Johnson died of consumption at his home in Irwinville, Irwin County, Ga., on the 21st day of November, 1884, aged about forty-eight years, leaving a widow and five small children. Mr. Johnson formerly lived at Houston Factory, where he was an employe. He moved to Irwin County about three years ago...

Vol. 18, #51, Thursday Morning, 18 Dec.1884:

We regret to learn that little Walton, son of Mr. David Clements, of Irwin, died last week.

Johnnie Daniel, aged eleven years, died on pneumonia on Saturday last. He was the oldest son of Mr. John J. Daniel. The remains were buried in the Hawkinsville cemetery on Sunday last.

Mrs. Patience Everett, a widow lady aged about sixty years, committed suicide at her home in the Third District of Dooly County on Thursday evening last. She lived in the same house with her son and his wife... It was discovered that she had taken strychnine from a bottle that had been hidden in her trunk.

Mr. John R. Cox, a young merchant of Hawkinsville, took his friends by surprise this week by returning home on Tuesday night with a beautiful young bride. He was married on Sunday morning to Miss Amelia Renfroe, daughter of Mr. W. H. Renfroe. The ceremony was performed at the residence of the bride's parents in Bartow County.

Vol. 18, #52, Thursday Morning, 25 Dec.1884:

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THE HAWKINSVILLE DISPATCH, HAWKINSVILLE, GEORGIA

Vol. 19, #1, Thursday Morning, 1 Jan.1885:

The Dooly Vindicator of last week gives us the following items: Mrs. Thos. Whitsett, consort of the late Thomas Whitsett, died of pneumonia at the old homestead in this county, last Friday night; Married at the residence of Mr. Cornelius McCorvey, on the evening of the 18th inst., Mr. John E. Patrick to Miss Mary E. McCorvey. Rev. M. C. Jordan officiating...

Miss Jane Deese died in this place on Sunday night, Dec. 21, aged eighty-eight years.

Mr. Asa G. Holt, of Pulaski County, was found dead in his bed on the morning of the 14th ult. He was subject to heart disease.

Mr. W. Byrd Daniel, of Eastman and Miss Mittie Mitchell, daughter of J. B. Mitchell, Esq., were married in the Episcopal Church in Hawkinsville, on Tuesday evening, December 23d. Rev. Mr. Wingate officiating.

Mr. Zachariah Davis, of Pulaski County, is seventy-two years old and is father of seventeen children, all of whom are grown, and sixteen of the number are married and living within six miles of their father, and the other one lives with him. Mr. Davis and his twin brother came to Georgia from North Carolina long years ago. They are both now living in this county. Zachariah has had born to him eighteen children (one having died) and as stated, sixteen are married and living within six miles of the paternal homestead. He has seventy grand children, and it was his desire to have a family reunion this Christmas, but he thought his house was too small. Judge McGriff, from whom we learned the above facts, states that he has known the Davis brothers for thirty years, and they have been known and recognized as worthy men and exemplary citizens...

Mr. T. A. McKenzie, of Wilkinson County, and Miss Fannie England, of Dooly County were married at the residence of M. Etheridge, Esq., in Dooly County, on the morning of December 21, 1884. The ceremony was performed by Squire Etheridge. The bride was a blushing maiden of eighteen summers and the groom was an amiable widower aged about sixty-five years... The happy couple passed through Hawkinsville the next day enroute to their home in Wilkinson.

Mr. Wright Ivey died at his home near Snow Spring, Dooly County, on the 15th day of December, 1884, aged over eighty years. Mr. Ivey was unusually stout for one of his age, and was ever cheerful and affable. He was one of the oldest settlers of this county, and had a large family connection. His illness was very brief, and his death was, perhaps, the result of a stroke of paralysis. His wife, who survives him, is near his own age. Among his children are his sons Messrs. Wesley Ivey, D. L. Ivey, and John Ivey, all well known citizens of Dooly.

Vol. 19, #2, Thursday Morning, 8 Jan.1885:

Mr. W. W. Driskill, brother of Mrs. W. J. Boon, having spent the holidays with them, left Hawkinsville on Monday last for his home in Wyoming Territory. He is in the employ of Driskell Brothers, who are engaged in stock raising in the west.

Vol. 19, #3, Thursday Morning, 15 Jan.1885:

Eastman, Ga., Jan.12th: Married at the Baptist Church in Eastman, Ga., January 8th, 1885, by Rev. P. A. Jessup, Mr. M. H. Edwards and Miss Orlena Carr, both of Eastman.

See Picture - Our New Mayor, Mr. Wm. A. Jeter. (Compiler's Note: This is the first picture, other than ads, that I have found in the Hawkinsville Dispatch, to this date.)

Vol. 19, #4, Thursday Morning, 22 Jan.1885:

Little "Caney" Coley, aged fourteen years, died at the home of his mother, four miles west of Hawkinsville, on Thursday last. His death occurred from hemorrhagic fever, and was the fifth attack of that usually fatal disease. He was a son of the late Capt. G. R. Coley. The burial took place in the cemetery in this place on Friday last.

The Dooly correspondent of the Macon Telegraph, writing from Vienna under the date of the 19th inst., says: A quiet wedding occurred at the residence of Mayor F. S. Davies yesterday morning, the contracting parties being Miss May, the beautiful and accomplished daughter of Col. John B. Holmes, of this place, and Mr. James O. Hamilton, a rising young merchant farmer of sterling reputation and resident of this county...

From the Houston Home Journal: Mr. C. E. Brown and family, of Houston County, left Perry on Monday for Sanford, Orange County, Florida, where they will make their future home; Rev. E. M. Whiting and family left Perry last Friday morning for Waycross, where Mr. Whiting will serve the Methodist people at their pastor...

From the Dooly Vindicator: Died, in Snow, Dooly County, Dec., 4th, 1884, of typhoid pneumonia, Richard W. Clewis, aged twenty-three years. He was a young man of rare virtures; was loved and respected by all who knew him...

Vol. 19, #5, Thursday Morning, 29 Jan.1885:

Mr. William Joiner, an old and respected citizen of Dodge County, died last week after a brief illness from pneumonia.

We regret to learn that Mrs. Royal, the wife of Dr. A. R. Royal, died at her home in Irwin County on Saturday evening last after a brief illness.

Mr. James E. Bowen, of Abbeville, and Miss Janie Bowen, of Concord, Fla., were married at the residence of Hon. Stephen Bowen, at Abbeville, Ga., on the morning of the 18th inst. The bride and groom are cousins. The young lady had come on a visit to her relatives and friends.

Died, at his home in Wilcox County, on the 19th day of October, 1884, Mitchell Kelley. He died on his sixty-fourth birthday. His death was caused by typhoid fever. The deceased moved from East Tennessee to Georgia in February, 1864, and found a home in the Third District of Dooly County. From Dooly he moved with his family to Pulaski, and thence to Wilcox, where he resided until his death... He left a widow and two daughters in Georgia.

Vol. 19, #6, Thursday Morning, 5 Feb.1885:

Died, at the residence of his father C. F. Holton, in Polk County, Fla., on the 13th day of January, 1885, little, Leon Holton. He was born October 19th, 1881. Leon was the second son of C. F. and Susie E. Holton... Grandpapa.

Tribute & Resolution by her Sunday School: The grim messenger death has invaded our ranks and removed from our midst little, Lora McEachin, aged six years and four months, who died at her father's home in Telfair County on December 6th, 1884, and we desire to offer a tribute to her worth as a child and member of our Sabbath School, and tender our sincerest sympathy to her grief stricken family... Mrs. E. Thompson, Miss Mamie Clemens, F. S. Haskins, and T. J. Smith, Committee.

From the Perry Journal: Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Norwood, who live about three miles west of Perry, are probably the oldest man and wife now living in Houston County. They are respectively in their 79th and 73d years. They were married in South Carolina fifty-six years ago; have lived in Houston County, Ga., fifty years; have lived forty-eight years on the same plantation, and about thirty-six years in the same house in which they now live. There have been 58 descendants from this aged couple; 12 children, 41 grandchildren, and 5 great grandchildren. Of these 44 are now living: 9 children, 31 grandchildren, and 4 great grandchildren. Mr. & Mrs. Norwood have been members of the Methodist Church for more than 50 years, and no citizens of Houston are held in higher esteem by those who know them.

Died, near Eureka, Dooly County, Ga., February 4th, 1885, of typhoid pneumonia, little Eva May, aged 5 years, daughter of Joseph P. and Mary J. Harvard.

Vol. 19, #7, Thursday Morning, 12 Feb.1885:

Mr. H. D. Barron and Miss Ellen Clark were married at the residence of Mrs. Ellen Clark at Reedy Springs, Laurens County, on the 18th ult., by Rev. J. T. Kinchen.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Robert C. Smith, Esq., in this county, on Tuesday evening, February 3d, Mr. D. W. McLeod and Miss Fannie Virginia Smith were united in the holy bonds of matrimony, C. M. Bozeman, Esq.,

performing the cermony...

James B. Mitchell, Esq., a well known and popular member of the Hawkinsville bar, and Miss M. A. Russell, a charming lady of Eastman, Ga., were married at the Methodist Church in Eastman on Wednesday evening, 4th inst., Rev. Wm. McKay, of Macon, officiating...

Obituary: Mrs. Catherine Ryals, wife of the late Hon. John Ryals, deceased, died at her residence in Dooly County on the 18th of December, 1884. She was in the 63 year of her age. Mrs. Ryals was a Christian in deed and in truth... As a mother her solicitude for the happiness of her children knew no bounds... In her infancy she gave her heart to God and joined the Baptist Church... W.

Tis sad at any time to chronicle the death of a friend, but peculiarly so when the "grim monster" takes one of the land marks of our rising town, as it has recently done in the death of Dr. Batts Mitchell... The subject of this notice, Dr. B. N. Mitchell, Sr., was long identified with the interests of old Hawkinsville during scenes and times especially dear to the writer and others there... He held many positions of public trust in the county and town, and filled them with that efficiency that was a subject of universal admiration and remark in now of his trusts was this preciseness and order in every acto of his life more marked than in the office of Clerk of Superior Court, which he held for years. His books are models of neatness and correctness. He was a bright mason... To better the condition of his family he moved to Lake Jesup, Fla., fourteen years ago, and has left them a fine bearing grove. The last year of his life was spent in great mental and bodily suffering, being bed-ridden for seven months with heart disease. His noble son Jimmy, who attended him with a love so strong as to neglect everything for a father's comfort, is the only one left of his children on the place. Dr. Mitchell was born in _____County, Ga., Anno Domini 1820, and died in Orange County, Fla., on the 24th day of January, 1885, being 65 years old. Peace to his ashes. J.O.J.

Vol. 19, #8, Thursday Morning, 19 Feb.1885:

The writer is pained to pen the news of the death of little Mac Peterson, whose spirit took its flight to God who gave it, at six o'clock on the morning of the 7th of February. He was dadly burned on the 7th of January and endured the greatest suffering... W.

Obituary: Mr. James Wesley Marchman died in Lee County, Arkansas, January 3d, 1885, aged fifty-one years, two months and nineteen days. He leaves a wife, three sons and one daughter to mourn his loss...

From Dooly Vindicator: Mr. Ezekiel Tippett died at Drayton last Saturday. His death is mourn by all who knew him... The deceased was a brother of the late Abner L. Tippett, of Pulaski, who died in 1877. Of the four brothers there is now only one living - John F. M. Tippett, who resides in Manatee County, Florida.

Vol. 19, #9, Thursday Morning, 26 Feb.1885:

This issue missing.

Vol. 19, #10, Thursday Morning, 5 Mar.1885:

Mrs. Nettie Payne, wife of Mr. Henry Payne and daughter of Mr. G. I. Lasseter, of Dooly died at her home in Hawkinsville on Friday last. She was ill but a few days. The remains were taken to Dooly for burial by the resting place of other members of her family.

Mr. Seaborn M. Hunt, a well known and esteemed citizen of Worth County, died with pneumonia at his home near Warwick on Sunday last. He was a brother of Mr. William G. Hunt, the sheriff of this county, and was in Hawkinsville a few days ago with his daughter enroute to Wesleyan Female College, at Macon.

Married, on Thursday evening, February 26th, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Loam Brown, Sr., in Wilcox County, Miss Lola M. Brown and Mr. J. P. Futch... W. Ira Brown, Esq., officiating...

Mr. William Spence died at his home on Pine Level, two miles from Hawkinsville, on Saturday, February 28, 1885, aged about sixty years. The burial took place in Orange Hill Cemetery on Sunday afternoon. The deceased formerly resided in Mitchell County, but a few years ago moved to Houston County. He was the father of the late representative of Mitchell County, and of the Solicitor General of the Albany Circuit, also of Mr. C. C. Spence, a well known farmer of this county, and of Mrs. R. T. Ragan.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Alexander McDuffie, in Telfair County, on the evening of the 19th of February, at 7 o'clock, Mr. Andrew J. Harden and Miss Eulalia C. McDuffie... Rev. W. D. McGregor officiating...

Vol. 19, #11, Thursday Morning, 12 Mar.1885:

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Vol. 19, #12, Thursday Morning, 19 Mar.1885:

Capt. John A. Barclay, of Twiggs County, died at his home near Bullard's Station, in that county, on Wednesday, March 11th, 1885, in the sixty-seventh year of his age. He was the father of Mr. E. J. Barclay, of Wilcox.

Mr. N. J. Taylor, a former citizen of this county, but now of St. James, Stone County, Arkansas, was on a visit to relatives in this section the other day, and gave us a pleasant call. Mr. Taylor was reared in Pulaski County, and moved thirteen or fourteen years ago to Arkansas, where he has resided ever since...

On Monday last, Mr. John F. Lewis left with his wife for Valdosta, where he goes to live. Mr. Lewis and his brothers recently made arrangements to establish a merchantile and banking business at Valdosta, and he will take charge of the same.

Mrs. Margaret Johnson, wife of Mr. Israel Johnson, died at their home in Dooly County on Sunday evening last, 15th inst. Mrs. Johnson had been in bad health for several years, and soon after retiring Sunday night she called for assistance, saying that she was choking to death, and in a few minutes breathed her last. The deceased was sixty-six years of age, and had been a member of the Baptist Church for thirty-six years.

Mr. John Mims, of Houston County, came to Hawkinsville yesterday (Tuesday) to do some trading, and left in the afternoon for home. News has just been received here that he was crushed to death by falling under the wheels of his wagon while the team was descending a little hill. The accident occurred with in three miles of his home... The deceased leaves a wife and five children.

Mrs. Martha Newman, wife of Mr. Arthur Newman, of this county, died very suddenly at their home five miles below Hawkinsville on Saturday night last of apoplexy, aged forty-nine years...

The Eastman Times of last week contained the following announcement of the death of uncle Jacky Daniels, one of the old settlers of Pulaski County. In the organization of Dodge County by the legislature in 1870, Mr. Daniel became a citizen of that part of Dodge cut off from the lower section of this county. The Times says: Mr. J. M. Daniel, an old and highly respected citizen of this county, died at his residence in Mitchell's District on Tuesday morning last, after a continued illness, from dropsy, at the advanced age of seventy-six years. "Uncle Jacky," as he was familiarly called by all who knew him, was one of the pioneer citizens of this section, and had lived on the place where he died for the last fifty years... His remains were interred in the family burial ground, near Daniel's church. (Compiler's Note: See Bible Records of Mrs. Orleans Harrell Humphreys. He was b. 3 Feb.1809 and d. Dodge County, 10 Mar.1885 and m. Elizabeth Mitchell, b. 1 Feb.1817 and d. Dodge County, 23 Oct.1891)

From Cochran Messenger of last week: Mr. J. M. Lamb's little girl baby whose birth we reported last week, died on Monday night and the remains were interred in the cemetery on Tuesday.

On Monday last, 9th inst., Mr. M. W. Rogers, a merchant at Jesup, died, after a long and painful illness, and the body was brought her on Tuesday and interred in the cemetery. Mr. Rogers married a Miss Beacham here several years ago, and will be readily remembered by our citizens.

On Tuesday night last little Claudie, the three-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Taylor, died after a brief illness. The child was afflicted with whooping cough and pneumonia combined.

Vol. 19, #13, Thursday Morning, 26 Mar.1885:

Dr. John H. Barnes, aged about sixty-four years, died of dropsy on Sunday last, 22nd inst., at Abbeville, in Wilcox County. Dr. Barnes was born and reared in Roberson County, N.C., but moved to Wilcox about a year ago. He was the father of the Barnes brothers, of Abbeville.

On Thursday evening last Mr. Sam Taylor died in this place, after a brief illness of pneumonia. Mr. Taylor was a young man, and followed the trade of harness maker. He leaves a wife and two children. The burial took place at Orange Hill Cemetery on Friday.

Notes from Upper Dooly: Mr. J. C. Henderson and Miss George Fudge were married in Snow on the 12th inst. They were the first white couple ever married in our little village...; Mrs. Mary Blankenship, died on the 14th inst., leaving a husband and two children to mourn her loss...; Mr. J. L. Summerford and Miss Lou Ella Edwards were married on the 19th inst.; Mr. J. J. Mims fell from his wagon while on his way from Hawkinsville last Tuesday and was almost instantly killed. Gilmore.

From the Dooly Vindicator: Married at Snow, on Thursday last, Mr. Carsey Henderson to Miss George Fudge, Rev. Harris officiating; Married at the home of the bride, on Sunday last, Rev. Reuben Bullington to Miss Cebelle Adkins, J. T. Carlisle, N.P., officiating; Married at the home of the bride's parents on Wednesday, Mr. William Adkins to Miss Laura Clements, Rev. Reuben Bullington performing the ceremony...; Died at the home of her husband, in this county on Thursday last, Mrs. Mary Blankenship, wife of Mr. John Blankenship, and daughter of Mr. A. J. Lockerman. She was a consistent member of the Primitive Baptist Church, a kind mother, an affectionate wife, and a most excellent lady. Her remains were interred at the family burying ground, Elder John Hall performing the burial ceremonies. She leaves a husband and many relatives and friends to mourn their loss.

Vol. 19, #14, Thursday Morning, 2 Apr.1885:

Dr. Wm. King, brother of Messrs. C. H. and J. B. King, of Hawkinsville, died at his home in Fort Valley on the 19th of March.

Mrs. N(ancy) J(ane) DeLamar, aged about fifty-three years, died at her home near old Hartford this (Wednesday) morning at 3 o'clock, after a week's illness of pneumonia. Mrs. DeLamar was the mother of Mr. Frank DeLamar, of the firm of Napier & DeLamar of this place, and was a most estimable lady.

Halliburton Spence, aged about six years, died at this place on Friday last, 27th ult. He was first attached with measles, and then took pneumonia, which caused his death. He was the son of Mr. C. C. Spence and a nephew of Mr. R. C. Halliburton. The burial took place at Orange Hill Cemetery on Saturday.

Horrible Murder in Dooly - The Perpetrator Pays the Penalty of His Crime by Swinging to a Limb. Mr. Jesse Dole is a young farmer, and lives about seven

miles northeast of Vienna, in Dooly County. Last Saturday while Mr. Dole was in his field plowing, a negro named George Rouse, living on the same place, entered his house, and after committing a most heinous crime upon the person of his wife, cut her throat from ear to ear and left her lying in a pool of blood, where she was found dead a short time afterwards by her husband when he returned to the house...

From the Houston Home Journal: Mrs. Mildred Houser, wife of Mr. William H. Houser, died last Friday night at the residence of her husband, at Stonewall Mill, in this county. The burial took place in Evergreen Cemetery at Perry last Sunday morning...; Corner Schilliey was summoned to Fort Valley last Friday morning to hold an inquest over the body of Dr. Wm. King, who was found dead in his bed that morning. The verdict returned by the Coroner's jury was that death resulted from natural causes.

Vol. 19, #15, Thursday Morning, 9 Apr.1885:

Mr. S. R. Rasbury, of this county, died at his home six miles below Hawkinsville on Saturday last, after a few days illness of pneumonia. The deceased leaves a wife and seven children.

Dr. F. M. Jordan, a popular young physician of Hawkinsville, and Miss Mattie Walker, were married on Thursday afternoon last at the residence of Col. Geo. W. Jordan, step-father of the bride. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. J. Coates, and was witnessed by the families of the young people and a few friends. Dr. Jordan and his bride left on the four o'clock train for Cuthbert, Ga., where after spending a few days with relatives and friends they continued their tour to the New Orleans Exposition.

Mr. Robert DeLamar, aged about twenty years, died at his home near Old Hartford on Friday last, 3rd inst., after a brief illness of pneumonia. Bobbie was a steady, upright young man, and was well liked by all who knew him. He was a brother of Messrs. Frank and James DeLamar, who are engaged in the merchantile business in this place, and was a son of Mrs. N. J. DeLamar, whose death we reported last week, which also occurred from pneumonia. To the beraved ones we tender our sincerest condolence. (Compiler's Note: See Bible Records, p201. Robert E. L. DeLamar b. 26 Oct.1866 and d. 3 Apr.1885.)

It was reported in Hawkinsville on Tuesday morning that Miss Lucy Hughes had died that morning at the home of her brother, Hon. Dudley M. Hughes, near Allenton (Allentown), Twiggs County. The news was sadly received by a large circle of friends and acquaintances, and cast a gloom over all. Later in the day a dispatch was received by Rev. Mrs. Coates, her cousin, stating that the young lady was still living... Later - We have just heard that Miss Hughes died yesterday. She was an accomplished and lovable lady.

Died, of membraneous croup, on Monday evening, 30th ult., Daniel E., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor, of Vienna, Ga., aged four years, one month and fourteen days...

Hasty Marriage: The young people will have their way, and when they set their heads to marry they never fail. Mr. Tom Singletary, a young merchant of this place, and Miss Mattie McGehee, a young lady visiting here, were married on Sunday afternoon last by Judge L. C. Ryan, at the residence of that gentleman, on Pine Level. Miss McGehee is a sister of Mrs. Buff, who is in charge of the Western Union telegraph office at this place. The young lady's parents reside in Alabama, and knew nothing of the attachment that existed between their daughter and Mr. Singletary...

Vol. 19, #16, Thursday Morning, 16 Apr.1885:

Mrs. S. R. Rasbury, aged about thirty-five years, died at her home six miles below Hawkinsville on Saturday night last of congestion of the brain. She was the wife of Mr. S. R. Rasbury, who died on Saturday previous to her death. In the death of this couple, a large family, composed mostly of girls, are left alone and in pitiable circumstances.

Mr. T. J. McGriff, or Tobe McGriff, as he was ususlly called, died at his home near Coley's Station on Monday last, aged sixty-two years. He had been ill with dropsy for a long time, and his death was no surprise to his family. Twenty-five years ago Mr. McGriff was a prominent citizen in the politics and affairs of Pulaski. He was for several years one of the judges of the Inferior Court. He and Judge Cornelius M. Bozeman were elected to represent Pulaski County in the secession convention held in Milledgeville in the early part of 1861. Mr. McGriff lived and died upon the place and in the house in which he was born sixty-two years ago, and his body was laid to rest on Tuesday last by the graves of his father and mother on the old homestead. He was a member of the Methodist Church, and his funeral was preached by Rev. J. W. Domingos. The deceased was a brother of Judge P. T. McGriff, the ordinary of our county. (Compiler's Note: McGriff Bible, p212 shows Judge Thomas Jefferson McGriff was b. 28 Nov.1823 and d. 13 Apr.1885, m. 23 Dec.1845 to Mary Duhart Fuller, b. 9 Aug.1810 and d. 26 Aug.1883.)

A correspondent of the Macon Telegraph and Messenger reports the death of Col. J. B. Hicks, a prominent lawyer and the mayor of Dublin, Laurens County. His death occurred on Saturday evening last at five o'clock. Mr. Hicks was thirty-four years old, studied law and was admitted to the bar about ten years ago, located in Wrightsville and commenced the practice of his profession. Two years later he moved to Mt. Vernon, Montgomery County, and practice law there awhile. While there he married Miss Hattie McRae and moved to Dublin and lived there until the time of his death. His remains were borne to the family burying ground at his fathers place one mile from town. Fully 200 persons assembled to pay their respects, half of them being his relatives; among them was his aged father, Major James Hicks, eighty-six years old. The burial service of the Methodist Episcopal Church was read by the Rev. Mr. Ainsworth, and after a fervent prayer his remains were consigned to the mother earth and his soul to God who gave it. Captain R. L. Hicks, of the steamer Wm. M. Wadley at Doctortown, was called to Wrightsville this week by telegram to the death of his brother.

From Macon Telegraph: The funeral services of Miss Lucy Hughes were conducted yesterday morning at Richland Church in Twiggs County. A large number of friends were present from this city. The exercises were impressive throughout, the remarks by Rev. E. J. Coates being specially beautiful and touching. Rev. Mr. Lane assisted in the exercises, and the occasion was one of the saddest that has been witnessed in some time. Miss Hughes was a young lady of many attractive virtures, and her untimely end is mourned by a large circle of friends.

Vol. 19, #17, Thursday Morning, 23 Apr.1885:

Mrs. Elizabeth Joiner, consort of the late Rev. Larkin Joiner, died in this place on Sunday last at the residence of Mr. W. L. Joiner. Mrs. Joiner was a christian lady and had been a member of the Baptist Church from her early youth. She passed away on her birthday, being just sixty-nine years old. She was the mother of Messrs. D(avid) C., J(ohn) J. and W(illiam) L. Joiner of Hawkinsville and Mrs. P. McKinney and Mrs. I. T. Stevens, of this county. The body of her husband, who died in 1880, and was buried about thirteen miles from here on Cedar Creek, was exhumed and reintered with her remains at the cemetery in Hawkinsville on Monday. Rev. E. J. Coates conducted the funeral services.

Obituary: Miss Lucy Cary, daughter of Col. Dan G. and Mrs. Henrietta Hughes, was born in Twiggs County, Ga., July 10, 1863, and died in the same county at her brothers' April 7, 1885. Her remains were interred at Richland Church in Twiggs County, on the 9th of April, Rev. Ed Coates and Rev. W. Lane officiating... At the age of eighteen she graduated with honors at the Wesleyan Female College, Macon, Ga... In 1881, she united with the Methodist Episcopal Church South at First Church, Atlanta, under the ministry of the named Divine (Rev. Clement Evans)... W. Lane.

Vol. 19, #18, Thursday Morning, 30 Apr.1885:

Mr. Willie A. Jelks and Miss Mattie Jordan, daughter of Col. Geo. W. Jordan, were married at the residence of the bride's father in Hawkinsville on Wednesday evening, 23d inst. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. J. Coates in the presence of immediate relatives and a few friends.

Mr. Terry Adams returned on Monday last from a short visit to his old home on Turkey Creek, in Dooly County... He also reported the death of Mr. Eli Varnadoe one day last week. Mr. Varnadoe was a very old citizen, having lived on Pennahachee Creek for probably forty years.

News reached Hawkinsville last week that Miss Lydia Clements, a daughter of David Clements, of Houston County, had committed suicide by taking several grains of strychnine on Wednesday last. The young lady was engaged to be married, and last Sunday was the day appointed for the marriage. Her father had expressed his disapproval of her marriage, and the young lady became despondent, and during a spell of melancholy swallowed the fatal dose.

Chauncey, Ga., April 27th: The little babe of Mr. Jack Pool died with measles on the 23d inst... Yam Yam.

Vol. 19, #19, Thursday Morning, 7 May 1885:

Mr. Thomas Hill, a prominent planter of Twiggs County, died very suddenly last Sunday of heart disease. He was probably the wealthiest citizen of that county, his estate being valued at upwards of $50,000.

Mr. Joe Graham and Miss Sibbie Statham were married at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Norman Statham, in Wilcox County on Tuesday, 21st ult.

Of the Rev. M. N. McCall, who died in Scriven County, the Telegraph says: "He was perhaps, the oldest resident of the country at the time of his death. During his life he was one of the most highly esteemed of our citizens, and beloved by all who knew him. His memory will long be cherished by all who were acquainted with the excellent goodly old man. He was the father of a large family and among his children are Rev. M. N. McCall, Rev. George R. McCall, Rev. W. C. McCall, Dr. C. P. McCall and Dr. D. T. McCall, all talented, distinguished and honored citizens."

Vol. 19, #20, Thursday Morning, 14 May 1885:

Mr. W. Scott McDuffie and Miss Callie Weeks, daughter of Mr. C. F. Weeks, were married at McRae, Ga., on the evening of the 7th inst., by Rev. W. D. McGregor. All residents of Telfair.

Douglas, Ga., May 4, 1885: Editor Dispatch. It is with regret that I chronicle the death of one of our good citizens. Mr. Joshua Carver, after a lingering illness from liver complaints, died on the 25th day of April, 1885, leaving a family of five children and a living wife and a host of friends to mourn his death... Henry Vickers.

Chauncey, Ga., May 11, 1885: Mrs. Annie, wife of Mr. John McRanie, departed this life Sunday, the 10th inst., at 6 p.m. She leaves a husband, nine children, and a host of friends and relatives to mourn her death... Yam Yam.

Vol. 19, #21, Thursday Morning, 21 May 1885:

Col. Thos. L. Taylor died at his home in Macon last Thursday night of brain fever. The remains were brought to Hawkinsville and interred in Orange Hill Cemetery on Saturday by the Masons. The deceased was a brother of Drs. A. R. and E. H. Taylor, and formerly resided and practice law in Hawkinsville.

Married, at McRae, Ga., May 7, 1885, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. C. F. Welks, by Rev. W. D. McGregor, Mr. Walter S. McDuffie and Miss Callie Welks, all of Telfair County... L.

From Albany Advertiser: Yesterday morning at 2 o'clock, Miss Maud, daughter of Mr. V. A. Clegg of Lee County, was taken suddenly ill; a physician was sent

for at once. She fainted before the doctor arrived and had expired before he reached her bedside. Miss Clegg was attending Wesleyan Female College, at Macon, when she died. She was just blooming into womanhood - being about sixteen years of age. The beraved family have our warmest sympathy in their affliction. Miss Clegg was a niece of Mr. P. C. Clegg, of Hawkinsville, and had many friends and admirers here who will regret to learn of her untimely death.

Vol. 19, #22, Thursday Morning, 28 May 1885:

Miss Mollie Argo died at the home of her mother, Mrs. Robert Argo, in Hawkinsville, on Sunday evening last after a lingering illness of consumption. The burial took place at Orange Hill Cemetery on Monday evening.

Vol. 19, #23, Thursday Morning, 4 Jun.1885:

Mrs. E. L. Bush, of Dooly County, died on the 24th ult.

Mr. Israel Johnson, Jr., and Miss Susan L. Powell, of Dooly County, were married on the 20th ult.

Married, on Tuesday evening, June 2, 1885, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Ephraim S. Mann, in this place, Mr. Egbert L. Turner and Miss Clara M. Mann were united in the holy bonds of wedlock, Rev. E. J. Burch, officiating...

Died, at her home in McRae, Ga., on the 30th day of May, 1885, aged 26 years, Mrs. Molly C. Frink, wife of Mr. J. B. Frink, and daughter of G. M. and Elizabeth McRae. Mrs. Frink had been a member of the Methodist Church for years, was a devoted wife, a kind mother and good neighbor. She leaves a husband, two children and many relatives and warm friends to mourn their sad loss...

Chauncey, Ga., June 1st: Mr. George Esper and Miss Alice Shivers were married yesterday afternoon by Mr. W. K. Bussey, at his residence... Yam Yam.

Vol. 19, #24, Thursday Morning, 11 Jun.1885:

Col. E. A. Wimberly, a prominent citizen of Twiggs County, died at his home near Jeffersonville on the 2d inst.

In Memory: Emma, wife of Augustus J. Fenn, died May 4, 1885, at their home in Dooly County, Ga. Disease of the heart, which calls away so suddenly, found her not unprepared... M.W.C.

Mr. John Buchanan, an old citizen of Irwin County, died at his home in that county a few days ago, aged seventy-nine years.

Little Annie, the one year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Roden, of Hawkinsville, died on Saturday evening last, and was buried in the cemetery

on Sunday.

Married, at Chauncey, Ga., May 31, 1885, Mr. George H. Esper and Miss Alice Chivers. W. K. Bussey, Esq, officiating. All of Morgan County.

Mrs. Martha H. Clarke, wife of Rev. Geo. C. Clarke, formerly pastor of the Methodist Church in Hawkinsville, died very suddenly in Brunswick on Thursday evening last, 4th inst. The remains were carried to Fort Valley for interment.

The dead body of Mr. William Johnson, an aged, helpless and inoffensive man, was found in the Fennel Ford of Ten Mile Creek below Hawkinsville on Tuesday of last week. Corner B. B. Johnson summoned a jury and held an inquest over the body, and the facts developed led to the arrest of John Trammell and Frank Williams, two young white men, as the murderers, and they were brought to Hawkinsville on Friday last and confined in jail... Williams denied having anything to do with the killing, but says that he stood by and saw Trammell commit the terrible deed... The victim of this awful tragedy was a brother of Mr. Israel Johnson, of Dooly County, and Judge Darl. Johnson, of Wilcox County...

Vol. 19, #25, Thursday Morning, 18 Jun.1885:

The Home Journal of last week reports the death of Mr. J. P. Woodson, an aged and highly respected citizen of Houston County.

Mr. T. W. Burkett, a well known citizen of Twiggs County, died last Friday morning. His death was caused by injuries sustained by being thrown from his buggy while in Macon some time ago.

Mrs. Mary Nan Lancaster, wife of Mr. Robert O. Lancaster, of this county died on Saturday morning last after a lingering and painful illness...

Mr. Norman J. Henley, aged nineteen years died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Hendley, in this county, on Saturday last... (Compiler's Note: He was b. 6 Jul.1866 & d. 13 Jun.1885, and burried next to parents in Slade Cemetery.)

Mr. Simon Merritt, aged seventy-four years, died at the residence of his son-in-law, Capt. R. W. Anderson, about two miles from Hawkinsville, on Sunday morning last at two o'clock. The remains were interred Sunday evening in presence of one of the largest crowds that ever assembled at the cemetery. Rev. E. J. Coates conducted the services at the grave in a very impressive manner. Mr. Merritt was born at Charleton, Mass., March 11, 1811, and moved to Georgia in 1833. In the same year he engaged in business in Hawkinsville, and has been a resident here ever since, with the exception of thirteen years spent in the west. As a merchant and speculator, he was very successful, and accumulated a good share of this world's goods, but alas! misfortune with its reverses overtook him, and his fortune was greatly reduced. Full of energy and enterprise, he determined to regain his wealth, and in 1868 - seventeen

years ago - he went west and engaged in gold mining in California, Montana and Colorado, where he labored hard and dilegently trying to unearth the hidden treasure. At times he was successful, and the prospects for recovering his fortune seemed good, but then again in some unfortunate speculation he would lose all he had made. Seeing that fate was against him, he abandened gold mining and engaged in various other pursuits, but fortune withheld her smiles, and he never fully realized his fond expections. He returned to Georgia in May, 1881, and spent the last four years of his life at his old home in Hawkinsville. During his long life he never connected himself with any church, but possessed many virtures that entitled him to the respect and esteem of his fellowmen. Mr. Merritt leaves one son and a daughter, Mr. R. A. Merritt and Mrs. Capt. R. W. Anderson, who, with his aged wife, still survive him.

Eastman, Ga., June 15th: Miss Nellie Coupman, who has been an invalid for many months, the result of overtaxing herself at school, died Friday night, after much suffering. She was a sister of Mrs. O. H. Biggs, of this place, with whom she was staying. Her other relatives live at the North. She was an admirable and very intellectual young woman; Miss Flora Leitch, daughter of Mr. W. N. Leitch, who resides near Chauncey of this county, eloped with Mr. Row Peacock on Saturday ningt and married him. Mr. Leitch says he shall make no fuss about the marriage, but proposes to sue the ordinary for $500 damages for issuing the marriage license on account of the tender age of the young lady, who was only fifteen years old.

Vol. 19, #26, Thursday Morning, 25 Jun.1885:

A Relic of the War, From the Irwinton Appeal: A few days ago the county commissioners of Twiggs County received a letter from a gentleman in Pennsylvania, asking information about the family of Colonel R. W. Folsom, and stating that he had in his possession a relic of Colonel Folsom's that he desired to restore either to himself or some member of his family. Judge J. B. McDonald replied to the letter. Colonel Folsom was a physician living in the lower portion of Twiggs County when the war broke out, and went to the front from Wilkinson County as Captain of the Ramah Volunteer Guards. He soon distinguished himself, and rose to the rank of Colonel in the Army of Virginia. He was killed during the latter part of the war. Judge McDonald does not know of the whereabouts of any member of the family, and would like for anyone that could give him information on the subject to communicate with him at Bullard's Station. Colonel Folsom had a brother, James Folsom, who went to war from Twiggs, a Captain of Twiggs Volunteers, Fourth Georgia Regiment. It is not known whether he is alive now or not.

The hearts of our citizens were made sad on Thursday morning last upon receipt of a telegram announcing the death of Mr. R. M. Hodge, which occurred at Gainesville, Ga., where he had gone for his health. He died of consumption, which dreadful and fatal disease he contracted sometime ago. Mr. Hodge was born in Gordon County, Ga., and was about thirty-four years of age. He moved from Houston County to Hawkinsville in 1879, and began the practice of law here. He soon obtained a lucrative practice. His brother M. T. Hodge was

admitted to the bar, and the two brother formed a co-partnership, enjoying the confidence of the public, and receiving a large patronage... Mr. Hodge's death, as stated occurred at the Piedmont Hotel, in Gainesville, Ga., on the 18th inst., just one week after his arrival at that place. His brother M. T. Hodge was with him, and had the remains expressed to Hawkinsville, where they were taken in charge of citizens and a committee of the local bar, and conveyed to Henderson, Houston County, for burial. Pulaski superior court being in session at the time a telegram was received announcing the death, Judge Kibbee ordered an adjournment until Saturday morning as a token of general regret.

Obituary: It becomes my painful duty to chronicle the death of J. N. Hendley, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Hort Hendley, who was born in Pulaski County July 6th, 1866, and died June 13th, 1885... His teacher.

Vol. 19, #27, Thursday Morning, 2 Jul.1885:

This issue missing.

Vol. 19, #28, Thursday Morning, 9 Jul.1885:

On Wednesday, June 24th, Mr. P. S. Songster, who lives a few miles from Vienna, returned home and found his wife lying dead on the floor, though she was apparently well and in her usual health two hours before, when he left his house. An examination of the body revealed no signs of violence and it is supposed that she died from natural causes. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict in accordance with these facts. (Compiler's Note: The last name may be Sangster.)

Hon. R(ufus) M. Hodge. Resolutions of the Bar and Remarks by Judge Kibbee Upon His Death (In Open Court, June 18, 1885.) (Compiler's Note: One column and a half on page 3.)

Vol. 19, #29, Thursday Morning, 16 Jul.1885:

Miss Bessie Jelks, niece of the Jelks brothers of Hawkinsville, died at Quitman, Ga., on Tuesday last.

On Saturday last a white man named J. D. F. Rainey was found a short distance from Cochran in a dying condition, and lived only a few minutes after being reached. We could gain no information concerning the unfortunate man's history, and do not know where his home was...

Houston County, Byron, July 11: Mr. Jesse Doles, who recently moved from Macon died at the home of his son, Mr. John Doles, two miles west of this place on last Thursday. He was about seventy-eight years old. His wife, who was in her seventy-fifty year, died yesterday and will be buried this afternoon. They both died of typhoid dysentery.

A Montezuma correspondent of the Macon Telegraph and Messenger writes as follows: Mr. Henry Carroll, of Augusta, and Miss Tommie Norris, of Montezuma, left here Wednesday morning to attend a picnic at Byronville, in Dooly County, but kept on to Vienna, procured a license, returned to the residence of Rev. R. M. Owen and were married while sitting in the buggy in front of Mr. Owen's residence, the bride's brother being the only witness.

The little two-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gus McLemore, of this county, died on Saturday evening last, and was buried at Orange Hill Cemetery on Sunday evening.

Baseball and Cupid: Mr. Thomas Christmas and Miss Ophelia Murray, two young hearts of near this place, became so closely linked together by the unbounded chords of love that they resolved, sometime ago, to share each other's destiny through life for better or worse, but as it met the rigid disapproval of her father, and he having gone to Ordinary Hargrove and officially forbidden him to issue license, etc., they were at quite a loss to know how to secure the end of their idol of happiness and reach the true regions of wedlock. At length last Friday evening at a game of baseball an opportunity presented itself. So taking a horse and buggy and making double quick speed, they eloped to Hawkinsville, married, returned and are now in pursuit of that long-looked for happiness. Dooly Vindicator. (Compiler's Note: Ceremony performed at Scarborough House by Rev. E. A. Burch.)

Chauncey, Ga., July 13: Mr. John P. Brown and Miss Elizzie Moore were married at the residence of the bride's father Mr. James Moore, on Sunday, the 12th inst., Rev. C. C. Horn officiating... The groom's mother, Mrs. Kizzie Brown...; Messers. Rom Peacock, Charley Thompson, and a negro, Moses McRae, were instantly killed Saturday evening, the 11th inst., at A. Peacock & Co's. still, four miles north of this place. The murder was the result of an old feud in North Carolina before they came to this state... Messrs. Peacock and Thompson were interred in the Chauncey Cemetery... Yam Yam.

Vol. 19, #30, Thursday Morning, 23 Jul.1885:

Mr. A. J. Blalock, father of Mrs. M. T. Grace, of Hawkinsville, died at his home in Barnesville, Ga., on the 17th inst.

Vol. 19, #31, Thursday Morning, 30 Jul.1885:

We regret to hear of the death of Col. I. L. Toole, recently of Vienna, Ga., which took place in Macon on Saturday morning last. The Telegram and Messenger gives the following particulars of his death: The friends of the above gentleman were pained and surprised to learn of his death, which occurred at 7 o'clock yesterday morning of dysentery, at the home of his brother, Dr. C. J. Toole, corner Second and Oglethorpe Streets. Col. Toole removed to the city not long since from Vienna, Dooly County, where he had been engaged for sometime in the successful practice of his profession. During his brief sojourn in the city he won many friends, both in his profession and out of it. He had been sick only a week and his death was both

sudden and unexpected. His funeral took place yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock form Dr. Toole's residence. Dr. Warren officiated. At the conclusion of the exercises the remains were taken to his brother's place, about three miles from the city, and laid to rest.

Obituary: Died, at her residence in Telfair County, on the 18th of June 1885, Mrs. Mary E. Maloy, aged fifty-five years, six months and twelve days. Mrs. Maloy was the daughter of Rev. James Williamson, who is now eighty years of age and is still working as a minister of the Gospel in Telfair, Dodge and Pulaski Counties, where he has been laboring for more than half a century, but will soon be called to that blessed world of endless joy, where he will meet his first borne babe, Mrs. Mary E. Maloy, and her sister who died in infancy, and his loved companion with whom he lived in heavenly bliss for more than fifty years and all his family and friends whom God has taken home to heaven...for her sons are all honorable and useful members of society among whom is Dr. John K. Maloy, and her daughters, amiable, chaste and tender hearted... In early life she joined the Baptist Church at Sharon and baptized by her father... May God sanctify the death of Mrs. Maloy to her family and especially to her youngest son Willie, who was the joy of heaven to his dear loved mother. W.

From Montezuma Record: Mr. Jack Smith and his wife, who live on the west side of the river, spent the day last Friday with the family of Mr. Alex. Taylor relatives of the former. During the day Mr. and Mrs. Smith family went out into the apple orchard to get some fruit leaving their little boy, aged about eighteen months, in the yard... The little boy approached the can, placed himself on the rim and endeavored to reach the water with his hands, and in doing so he lost his balance and was precipitated into the water with his head submerged and his feet perhaps above the water, which caused death by strangulation...

Vol. 19, #32, Thursday Morning, 6 Aug.1885:

From Houston Home Journal: On last Thursday night Mr. Kindred Kemp died at his residence in the Upper Fifth District of this county. He was about sixty-eight years old, and one of the most substantial citizens of Houston County. He was held in high esteem by all who knew him; Mrs. Catharine Bateman, wife of Mr. B. M. Bateman, died at the residence of her husband near Byron, this county, last Friday. She was about 50 years old, and had lingered in ill health for several months previous to her death. The writer was not personally acquainted with her, yet we are assured that she was held in high esteem by all who knew her.

Mr. Elijah Eason, of Dooly County, died on Tuesday of last week.

Mr. Chas. Stuart, an aged and respected citizen of Telfair County died on Wednesday last.

Mr. James Woodward and Miss Susie Dickerson, of Dooly County, were married a few days ago.

Mrs. Amanda Lindsey, widow of the late Richard Lindsey, died at her home, at Eureka, Dooly County, on Monday last. She had been a sufferer for some years with consumption.

Died, at his home in Telfair County, on the 24th day of July, 1885, Mr. Samuel Peck aged forty years. He was a great sufferer for eight months from dropsy... He leaves a devoted wife and many friends to mourn their loss.

James Philetus, the three-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Mashburn, of Hawkinsville, died on Thursday last. The remains were carried to Cedar Creek Church in Wilcox County for interment.

In Memorium: It becomes our painful duty to chronicle the death of little Annie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Bussell, who was born in Irwin County, August 22d, 1883, and died July 19th, 1885... A friend.

Obituary: Died at his home in Telfair County, Ga., on the 29th day of July, 1885, Charles H. Stewart. He was born in Perthshire, Scotland in 1810, and came to Telfair County in 1836, where he was happily married to Miss Margaret B. McLauchlin. He settled in one mile of the place where he was married and remained there until his death. He was a consistent member of the Methodist Church for forty-six years... He was an affectionate husband, a kind father and a true friend. He leaves an aged and devoted wife and nine children, many grandchildren and friends to mourn their loss. He was interred in the family cemetery, at Turnpike. Rev. W. D. McGregor, performing the service. M.

Vol. 19, #33, Thursday Morning, 13 Aug.1885:

This issue missing.

Vol. 19, #34, Thursday Morning, 20 Aug.1885:

Mr. Sam B. Thompson, an old and highly respected citizen of Dooly County, died at his home nine miles north of Vienna, on Sunday, August 9th.

Mr. Jerry Dixon, an enterprising young farmer and good citizen, died at his home a few miles east of Hawkinsville on Thursday last, August 13th. He lived on the plantation of Judge P. T. McGriff, where, two or three years since, his brother, Mr. William Dixon, while out hunting, accidentally shot and killed himself.

Mr. H. B. Wimberly, of Houston County, died at his home near Hayneville on Tuesday evening last. The deceased was a son of the late A. H. Wimberly and nephew of Mr. E. H. Wimberly, and was known by our citizens being a few years ago connected with the business houses in Hawkinsville. He married a daughter of the Rev. Mr. Ainesworth, of the South Georgia Conference, who survives him.

Hon. William L. Graham, a prominent and useful citizen of Dooly County, died at his home near Vienna on Thursday last, August 13th. He had been in feeble

health for sometime past. Mr. Graham has held many important positions in the gift of the people of Dooly. He was several times elected sheriff, which office he filled eight or ten years and held at the time of his death. He also served two or more terms in the Legislature.

Mrs. Seaton Taylor, wife of Col. Thomas C. Taylor, died at the residence of her husband on Pine Level, Sunday afternoon last, after an illness of only a few days. She was the daughter of the late Seaton Smith, of Baldwin County, this state, and a niece of Mr. Morgan Whitehurst, of Twiggs County. She was married in July, 1878, and with her husband and widowed mother, moved to Hawkinsville in 1879, where she had made many friends, who regret her untimely death, and whose hears go out in sympathy to the kind husband, mother and two little children whom she leaves to mourn her loss. She was buried at Orange Hill Cemetery on Monday last, Rev. E. J. Burch officiating. She was a consistent member of the Methodist Church.

Vol. 19, #35, Thursday Morning, 27 Aug.1885:

Mr. James D. Pate and Mrs. Laura A. McDonald were married near Pateville, Dooly County, on Thursday last.

Mr. John Causey, an old citizen of the Third District of Dooly County, died last week in the seventy-fourth year of his age.

Miss Jessie Hollon, daughter of the late John Hollon, died at her home at Snow Spring, Dooly County, on Sunday last, of typhoid fever. Miss Hollon was about nineteen years of age, and returned home a few weeks ago from college at Staunton, Virginia.

The Home Journal says that "Mr. Thomas R. Banning, of Dooly County, is probably the oldest ex-confederate who attended the reunion in Perry last Saturday. He is seventy-four years old; was born in South Carolina; moved to Alabama in 1828, and became a citizen of Georgia a number of years later. He served in the Indian War in 1836, in the Mexican War in 1847-8, and was a soldier in the Confederate Army for three years and four months. He is a well preserved man now."

Vienna, Ga., Aug.16, 1885: Death of Hon. Wm. L. Graham... He passed away on the night of the 13th inst., and was buried next day in the cemetery near the Methodist Church in Vienna, Dooly County, Ga... He was sheriff for at least 12 years, and a member of the House of Representatives, of the General Assembly of Georgia... M.

In Memory of Mrs. Judy Whiddon: Her maiden name was Dorminey - Judy Dorminey, daughter of John and Rachel Dorminey, and was born in the year 1796, in Emanuel County, Georgia, near the stream known as the Little Choopie (Ohoopee) River. At an early age she met and married Lott Whiddon, of Darlington County, South Carolina. Soon after their marriage Mr. Whiddon with his wife, the subject of the sketch, removed from Emanuel County to a more sparsely settled portion of the state, now known as Irwin County, and

settled within a mile of Irwinville, the present county site... So it will be seen that Mr. and Mrs. Whiddon were among the pioneer citizens of Irwin County. After living for many years near Irwinville, Mr. Whiddon again removed to what is now known as Sycamore, Irwin County, Georgia, which place he settled, and where he lived until a short time of his death, nearly five years ago since. Mrs. Whiddon has been, and was at the time of her death, living with her son-in-law, Captain J. J. Henderson, having previously lived with her son James W. Whiddon, near Ty Ty, on the B. & W. Railraod... She was a consistent member of the Primitive Baptist Church...and all that remains of our friend was laid away to rest by the side of her one devoted husband at Little River Church on August 10th, 1885, two days after her death... Thomas B. Whatley, Ty Ty, August 18th, 1885.

Vol. 19, #36, Thursday Morning, 3 Sep.1885:

Mr. Henry J. Ross, of Dooly County, died on Sunday night of last week.

Mrs. Lucy Carruthers, aged forty-two years, widow of the late Josephus Carruthers, of this county, died at her home on the east side of the river on Friday evening last at four o'clock. Mrs. Carruthers had been in ill health for sometime, and her death was not unexpected. She joined the Baptist Church at the age of twenty, since which time she has been a consistent member. She leaves four children - two sons, and two daughters - to mourn her death. The bereaved ones have the sympathy of the entire community. The remains were interred in the cemetery at this place on Sunday evening. Rev. E. J. Burch conducted the services at the grave.

Sad Death in Wilcox: On Monday evening, 24th inst., between sunset and dusk, one of the saddest deaths occurred in the family of Mr. Sam and Mrs. Mary Fitzgerald that I ever heard of. Their little three year old son Andrew, better known as Bang, was out playing around the wash trough, and caught hold of the trough and begin to swing back and forth. Before a moment's notice to his loving parents the trough tumbled over and fell on his head, killing him instantly. Not a word was uttered from his dear little lips... Bangor.

From Houston Home Journal: Last Sunday afternoon, Master Lenuel Hodges, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hodges, died of typhoid fever at the home of his parents near Fort Valley. The burial took place in Evergreen Cemetery, at Perry, Monday afternoon.

Vol. 19, #37, Thursday Morning, 10 Sep.1885:

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Vol. 19, #38, Thursday Morning, 17 Sep.1885:

In Memory of Miss Jesse Hollon: Upon the Lord's day, Aug. 23d, 1885, the radiant glories of the better world were revealed to her, and the glorious Son of Righteousness shed his beam upon her at the hour when day of earth was at its high tide... D.R.W.

Mrs. Elizabeth Paulk, wife of Mr. Luicious Paulk, died at her home in Irwin County, of Friday, September 11th. The deceased leaves a husband and four children to mourn her loss.

Miss Mattie Harpe, daughter of A. J. and Mrs. Matilda Harpe, died at the home of her parents in Dooly County, Ga., on the first day of September, 1885, in the twenty-fourth year of her age. She died with the hope of a better world.

Married at the residence of Mr. John Vaughn, in Dooly County, on Thursday, 10th inst., Mr. Wm. Langford and Mrs. Mary Elkins, W. W. Oliver, N.P. officiating.

The friends and acquaintances of Mr. and Mrs. James D. Stetson were made sad on Thursday morning last at the announcement of the death of their little son Jimmie, aged twelve years, which occurred at their home on Pine Level after a brief illness of congestion of the brain... His remains were interred in Orange Hill Cemetery at this place on Friday morning. Rev. E. J. Burch, of the Methodist Church, conducted the funeral services in a most impressive manner.

In Memoriam: We, the committee appointed from the board of trustees of Planters' Academy to draft resolution relative to the death of our friend and brother trustee, John Causey, Sr., submit the following resolution... (Compiler's Note: Contained no family data.)

News reaches us of the killing of Mr. J. W. Evans by a Mr. Daniel Conley, on Saturday night last at the mill of Mr. N. A. Walker, near Copeland, in Dodge County... Dodge County Journal.

From the Dooly Vindicator of last week: Mr. Swid Lewis and Miss Della Gamble were married at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Henry Gamble last Wednesday night; Married, last Tuesday, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mr. _____Tant to Miss. _____Lane, all of this county.

Vol. 19, #39, Thursday Morning, 24 Sep.1885:

Mrs. Serena C. Boon, wife of Mr. W. M. Boon, and mother of Mr. W. J. Boon, of Hawkinsville, died suddenly at her home near Perry, Houston County, on the 16th inst., of congestion of the brain.

Little Viola Lane, daughter of the late Cullen T. Lane, died at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Green Bruce, in Pulaski County, on Tuesday morning, September 22, 1885, in the seventh year of her age.

Married, in this place on Thursday last, Mr. James H. Crawford and Miss Lizzie Taylor, of Dodge County, A. C. Pipkin, J.P., officiating.

Little Tom, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Loam Brown, of Wilcox County, died at the residence of its grandmother, Mrs. Thos. King, in this county, on Sunday night last at ten o'clock.

Mr. James E. Mitchell, from Oviedo, Orange County, Florida, has been on a visit of several weeks to his relatives and friends in Pulaski, Dodge and Wilcox Counties. Jimmie is the only son now living of the family of Dr. Batts N. Mitchell, who moved from Hawkinsville to Florida fifteen years ago, and died last January at his orange grove near Oviedo. Jimmie's two sisters, Misses. Belle and Imogene, are living and are married. Their father left them two orange groves, the estate value at fifteen thousand dollars. We hope Jimmie will have a pleasant sojourn with us.

Miss Nannie King, eldest daughter of Mr. Wm. D. King, died of consumption at the home of her father in Hawkinsville at nine o'clock on Tuesday morning, 22d September 1885. She was twenty-two years of age, and for several years had filled the position of a devoted sister and mother to her younger brother and sister, Eddie and Mary, who love her with devotion... The burial took place this (Wednesday morning) at Orange Hill Cemetery. The funeral services were conducted at the grave by Rev. E. J. Burch.

The announcement of the sudden death of Mr. Henry G. Wood on Saturday morning last was received with considerable surprise by many of our citizens, as Mr. Wood was seen upon the streets the evening previous... He took morphine to relieve him of pain on Friday evening, and it is said made some remark which, afterward, were construed to mean that he had lost all hope of the recovery of his health, and had but little desire to live. Mr. Wood was a Virginian by birth, and possessed many genial traits. In his views he was liberal, and with his means he was generous. Soon after the war, and before he had reached manhood, he left Virginia and obtained employment in New York, and in 1870 he came to Hawkinsville as a clerk for Messrs. Grace & Fale. In 1871 he married an accomplished young lady of this place. She survives him with two little girls and a boy. Mr. Wood was a man of more than ordinary culture and education. His father, who died seven years ago in Virginia, was a member of the stock exchange on Wall Street, and was prominently known in financial circles of New York. The burial took place on Sunday morning last at the cemetery here, the funeral services being conducted by Rev. E. J. Burch.

Mr. G. V. Markert's residence, in this place, was the scene of a happy wedding on Wednesday evening last. At half past eight o'clock Mr. Anton Schneider, our well known and popular furniture dealer, and Miss Matilda Markert, daughter of Mr. G. V. Markert, stood before man and God and solemnly vowed to share each other's pleasures and sorrows through life. The beautiful and impressive ceremony which linked their destinies togeather, was performed by Father W. A. McCarthy, of Macon.

Mr. L. B. Clarke, from Pine Castle, Orange County, Florida, dropped in to see us a few minutes last Tuesday morning. Mr. Clarke is a son of Mr. C. C. Clarke, who died on Pine Level, near Hawkinsville, in 1869. Two years ago Mr. Clarke left Houston County for Florida, and since then has resided in Orange County...

Vol. 19, #40, Thursday Morning, 1 Oct.1885:

Mr. and Mrs. John Fale's little daughter Hallie, aged four years, died of congestion at ten o'clock on Tuesday night, September 29, 1885, after an illness of about twelve hours.

Mrs. Thomas J. Bush, formerly Mrs. Wm. Wade and daughter of Capt. A. W. Weaver, of Cochran, died in that place last week after a brief illness of congestive fever. She was a sister of Mrs. Dr. Y. H. Morgan.

Mr. B. B. Hamiliton, of Dooly, and Miss Nannie E. Hunt, of Worth County, were married at the residence of the bride's mother near Warwick on the 23d ult...

Mr. Matthew L. Phillips aged about twenty-four years, died on Tuesday morning, September 29, 1885, at the home of his father, Mr. James A. J. Phillips, near Old Harford. Matthew was sick only a week and died of congestion.

Mrs. Susan Caroline Whitehurst Downs died at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Joe B. King, in this place, on Tuesday evening last at 7 o'clock. Mrs. Downs was a sister of Dr. M. S. Jobson and mother of Mrs. Joe King and Misses Minnie and Carrie Downs. The deceased was in the sixty-fifth year of her age, and had been confined to her bed only a few days. Her remains were carried to Perry for internment.

Vol. 19, #41, Thursday Morning, 8 Oct.1885:

We regret to announce the death of Mrs. Bobbie Hardin, wife of Mr. R. S. Hardin, which occurred at her home in this county on Thursday last after a lingering illness of consumption. The deceased was a consistent member of the Baptist Church, and was a most estimable lady. Her remains were interred in Orange Hill Cemetery, in this place on Friday evening. Rev. E. J. Coates conducted the services at the grave.

Miss Elmira Bozeman, daughter of the late J. W. Bozeman, and granddaughter of the late Judge C. M. Bozeman, of Pulaski, and Hon. James Bohannon, of Dodge County, died at the home of her stepfather, Mr. Joseph W. Polhill, this (Wednesday) morning at 7 o'clock. Her remains will be buried at the family burial ground, on Mr. Bohannon's place to-morrow (Thursday) morning at 11 o'clock. She was a lovely young lady about eighteen years of age.

Vol. 19, #42, Thursday Morning, 15 Oct.1885:

Items from the Dublin Post: We glean the following item from that bright little paper, the Dublin (Laurens County) Post... It is regret we chronicle the death of Mrs. Fuller Watkins which occurred early yesterday morning after a brief illness.

From Houston Home Journal: Last Monday night, Mrs. Julia McCoy died at the residence of her son, Mr. Meredeth McCoy, at Echeconnee, Houston County. She had been in feeble health for at least twelve months, and was about 72 years

old when she died. The interment took place at the family burial ground Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Flora Dennard, wife of Mr. James H. Dennard, departed this life at her home in Wilcox County on Friday morning, October 9, 1885, after a short illness.

Ex-Mayor James H. Dyches' brother, Isaac H. Dyches, died in Barnwell County, South Carolina on the 22nd of September.

Mr. J. B. Davis inform us yesterday of the death of Mr. Willis Hall, which occurred at his home three miles below Vienna, Dooly County, on Monday afternoon last. Mr. Hall was seventy years of age.

Mr. Joe B. King and family left Hawkinsville last week for Athens, Ga., where they will reside.

The burial of Mr. George W. Keen, who died at Houston Factory, Houston County, Ga., on the 6th inst., took place at Antioch Church four miles south of Hawkinsville, Wednesday, October 7th. Mr. Keen was a former citizen of this county and a member of Antioch Church. He died from an attack of malarial fever, being sick only about twenty-four hours. He left a widow and six children. (Compiler's Note: He was born 13 Nov.1844 and died 6 Oct.1885. No church located there, moved some years ago.)

Mr. Leonidas F. Finleyson and Miss Mollie E. Hendley were married on the 11th inst, at the residence of the bride's mother, (Mrs. Edna Hendley,) by R. E. Reynolds.

On the 8th inst., Mr. James Singleton and Miss Elefair Barber were married at the residence of Mr. W. G. Barber, brother of the bride, by R. E. Reynolds.

Mr. Azor Paulk died at his home in Irwin County last week, aged about fifty-two years. Never belong to any church... One of his brothers (Hon. Reason Paulk) who dropped dead in 1877, at one time represented Irwin in the Legislature. Mr. Paulk married a sister of Hon. James B. Fletcher, and she, with seven children in common with the citizens, mourn the death of a devoted husband and gentle and loving father. His brother-in-law, Mr. Fletcher and Judge Thomas B. Young said to us: You could not say a good word for Azor Paulk that would be undeserved. To speak of him in the highest terms as a citizen and as a neighbor would be doing his memory but simple justice.

Vol. 19, #43, Thursday Morning, 22 Oct.1885:

Mrs. Susan Gregory, widow of the late Mr. (not given) Gregory, of this county, died at her home on the east side of the river on Saturday night last.

Married on Thursday last, 15th inst., Mr. John D. Rivers, of Putnam County, and Miss Lillie M. Ellis, of Hawkinsville, were united in marriage at the Scarborough House, in this place, by Rev. E. J. Burch. They will reside in

Putnam County.

Mr. Israel Johnson, aged about eighty-seven years, died yesterday (Tuesday) morning at eleven o'clock at his home in Wilcox County. The deceased was a brother of Judge Darl Johnson, of Wilcox, and Mr. William Johnson of this county, who was killed a few months ago.

Eastman, Ga., Oct. 19th: The infant child - a year or two old - of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Weaver, of Amoskeag, was taken sudden ill last night and died this morning with spasms. Much sympathy is felt for the unhappy parents. J.B.Jr.

Capt. Samuel D. Fuller, State Senator from the Fourteenth District, (Wilcox County,) died in Atlanta on Sunday afternoon last, and the remains were brought to Hawkinsville by the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia Railroad on Monday morning. They were taken immediately to Senator Fuller's home at House Creek, in Wilcox County... The deceased died at the age of fifty-seven, leaving a wife and widowed daughter, who is the mother of several children...

Vol. 19, #44, Thursday Morning, 29 Oct.1885:

From Houston Home Journal: The death of Mr. Geo. R. Doolittle, a well known citizen of Houston County occurred at his home at Houston Factory, at about four o'clock last Friday morning, after a short illness of malarial fever. He leaves a wife and several children to mourn their great loss.

Miss Mary E. Simmons, daughter of Mrs. S. C. Simmons, of Perry, died in Henderson at the residence of her aunt, Mrs. S. F. Laidler. She had been sick about two weeks with typhoid malarial fever, and during the last week of her illness she was unconscious almost continously. She had been attending school at Henderson.

Obituary: Little Mattie Viola Lane, daughter of Cullen T. and Martha A. Lane, died of hemorrhagic fever September 22, 1885, in the seventh year of her age... Her aunt, E.B.

Mr. Frank Bivins, an old citizen of Houston County, died very suddenly at his home near Hayneville on Friday night, 23d inst.

Mr. Charles W. Bagby, of Hawkinsville, and Miss Lizzie Adams, daughter of Rev. Thomas Adams, were married on Sunday, 25th inst., at the home of the bride's father, seven miles below Hawkinsville, A. C. Pipkin, Esq., officiating.

Mr. John Cravey, aged sixty-five years, and an old citizen, dropped dead at his home in Telfair County at one o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, 20th inst... His death was supposed to have been caused by heart dropsy. At seven o'clock on the morning of Mr. Cravey's death he had born to him a fine boy. Six hours afterwards the mother was a widow and her babe an orphan.

Maj. A. C. Bostwick died at his home on Friday night last, October 23, 1885. He was upward of seventy years of age, probably seventy-five. We are informed

that his name appears as one of the charter members of Mount Hope Lodge No. 9, F.& A.M. of Hawkinsville. This charter was granted by the Grand Lodge of Georgia in November, 1838, to B. W. Bracewell, as Master; Dr. Robert N. Taylor as Senior Warden; and A. C. Bostwick was the last of the living charter members... For many years Major Bostwick has lived upon his farm in the Third District of Dooly County, just beyond the Pulaski line... The article headline shows he was a merchant in Hawkinsville in 1832.

Vol. 19, #45, Thursday Morning, 5 Nov.1885:

From the Macon Telegraph, 26th inst: Saturday morning, J. W. Cranford, a Twiggs County farmer, committed suicide by shooting himself (with rifle) through the head. Cranford was a tenant on Judge Solomon's farm, about thirteen miles from Macon. He was thirty-eight years old and had a wife and one child... Cranford remains were interred in Twiggs County yesterday afternoon.

Clarence Shepard, aged about sixteen years, died at the residence of Mr. John L. Anderson, on Thursday last, 29th ult.

Mrs. Zina M. Turner, aged about forty-two years, died at her home in Alapaha, Berrien County, on Monday, October 26th. The deceased leaves five children, two daughters and three sons, one of whom, Mr. Egbert L. Turner is an employee in the Dispatch office.

Mr. James E. Mitchell, who has been visiting friends and relatives in this section during the past few weeks, wooed and won the heart of Miss Ida Marchman, a pretty young lady of this county, and the consummation of the nuptials which united the happy couple took place on Sunday last at the residence of Mr. Wm. L. Trammell. The groom is a son of (the late) Dr. Batts N. Mitchell.

Mrs. Lucy Hollon, consort of the late Mr. John Hollon, of Dooly County, died at the residence of Mr. John A. Holder, on Pine Level, on Monday morning last. The burial took place, at Orange Hill Cemetery on Tuesday morning.

Vol. 19, No. 46, Thursday Morning, 12 Nov.1885:

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Vol. 19, No. 47, Thursday Morning, 19 Nov.1885:

Mr. Charlton B. Adams and Miss Eva R. Coney were united in the holy bond of matrimony on Wednesday evening, 11th inst. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. F. Burch at the residence of Mr. J. F. Coney, brother of the bride...

An awful tragedy occurred at Abbeville, Wilcox county, twenty four miles north of Hawkinsville, on Saturday morning last. Some trouble occurred between Gaston Barnes, a merchant, and Eli W. Johnson, ...Steve Johnson, the marshall of the village, (a brother of Eli) separated the two men, and warned

Eli to keep quiet, or he would take him to the guard house. This remark enraged Eli, who had been drinking whisky, and he went off and returned in a few minutes with a double-barrel gun... Eli walked up within a few yards of the door and fired one barrel of the gun at his brother Steve... Steve staggered a few steps and fell dead. His father, Judge Darling Johnson, ex-ordinary of the county, and the brothers of the dead man, were soon gathered over his prostrate body giving went to their feelings of sorrow in the most affecting way. The body was buried on Sunday... Steve Johnson was unmarried. His brother Eli was a son-in-law of the late Smith Turner, whose race for the State Senate in this district in 1876 caused much excitement.

Mr. Henry Hersy, a young man about twenty-two years of age, met his death in a singular manner a few days ago in Coffee county. ("Killed, when a wagon ran over him.") ("All evidence went to prove the young man's death was the result of an accident.") (He had a widowed mother, brothers and sisters.)

Mr. John H. Whitsett, one of the most prominent and useful citizens of Dooly county, died at his home in that county on Friday afternoon, November 6th... Mr. Whitsett was a devoted husband and a kind and indulgent father. He leaves a wife and five children to mourn his death. At the time of his death he was about forty-five years of age, having just reached his prime of life. The funeral services took place at the family burying ground Sunday morning...

On Sunday night last an unfortunate difficulty occurred four miles east of Cochran, in this county, between Mark Solomon, aged about fifteen years, and Oscar Newman, aged about nineteen years... (A fight occurred between the two.) In an instant Oscar said "You have cut my entrails out!" ... The young man lingered until Tuesday night about half-past one o'clock, when he died.

On October 18th Hon. Samuel Day Fuller died in Atlanta, Georgia. He was fifty-seven years and six months old at his death... He was born in Baldwin county, Georgia, March 18, 1828. His father, Samuel Fuller, moved from North Carolina to this state, and was married to Miss Kendrick, daughter of Col. Thomas Kendrick, of Columbia county, Georgia. He was educated in Bibb county, where he married on the 25th of December, 1849, to Miss Sarah Jane Bowman, daughter of Mr. Reyal Bowman, of North Carolina. For six years immediately preceeding the war of the States, he was Judge of the inferior court of Wilcox county, but resigned that position to accept the Captaincy of a Company in the Forty-ninth Georgia Regiment, which went from his county to the Army of Virginia... Paroled in 1865, when, returning to Georgia, he was elevated to the State Senate from the Fourteenth District. On the 5th of December, 1877, he was elected to the House of Representatives by a large majority, and his elections were repeated as Representative without opposition, and at his death he was Senator of the Fourteenth District. This is a fact of which few public men can boast, and is a proof of the execellence of his character... Since the year 1858 he has been a consistent member of the Missionary Baptist church, and was by all who knew him, esteemed as a noble Christian gentlemen... D. F. Mc.

Vol. 19, No. 48, Thursday Morning, 26 Nov.1885:

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Vol. 19, No. 49, Thursday Morning, 3 Dec.1885:

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Vol 19, No. 50, Thursday Morning, 10 Dec.1885:

Mr. Charles A. Wallace and Miss Lee Fountain, daughter of the late Wm J. Fountain, were married at the home of the bride's mother, a few miles south of Hawkinsville on Sunday afternoon, 6th inst., by Rev. E. A. Burch.

Obituary. Judge John E. Lilly was born in Anson county, North Carolina, on the 28th of Feb. 1818, and died at his residence in Vienna, Ga., Nov. 30th, 1885. aged sixty-seven years and nine months. He moved to Georgia when quite young, and few men have spent a more active and useful life. At one time he was Judge of the Inferior court of Dooly county, and subsequently held the office of Clerk of the Superior court for sixteen years, and discharged the duties of both offices with credit to himself and satisfaction to his constituency. ...For years he was a member of the Baptist church at Mt. Vernon, where he was buried, and enjoyed the confidence of pastors and members... A large circle of friends and acquaintances tender his bereaved wife and children heart-felt sympathies. A Friend.

From Dooly Vindicator: Mr. Dock Faircloth, of Drayton, died last Sunday morning at four o'clock, of dropsy and chronic diarrhoea. He leaves a wife and one child to mourn his death... We are pained to learn of the death of Mrs. Mattie Bradshaw, who lived near the line of Dooly and Wilcox counties, on Monday the 23d ult. Her remains were interred at Union Springs cemetery on last Wednesday.

Vol. 19, No. 51, Thursday Morning, 17 Dec 1885:

Mr. Cicero Fitzgerald and Miss Mattie, daughter of Mr. R. H. Vaughn, were married on Thursday evening last by Rev. R. Pope at the home of the bride's father.

Mr. George Holliday and Miss Nancy Warren, of Wilcox county were married by Rev. George Murray at the residence of Hon. Thomas Warren, father of the bride on Sunday last.

Mr. R. M. Cook, who was in our office on Saturday last, informed us of a sad misfortune that befell one of his neighbors, Mr. R. D. Abner, near Mt. Calvary Church, in this county. Mr. Abner's children were in the field picking cotton, when his little girl, Ida, about six years of age, caught fire on her dress. The child screamed and ran, going a distance of nearly two hundred yards. Her clothing was burned completely from the lower portion of the body, and the little sufferer endured her pains for one week, when death ended her life.

Mr. Abner also lost his youngest child during the summer.

Chauncey, Ga., Dec 14. - Miss Emma Bussey, of our town, and Mr. Johnnie Ryals, of Spring Hill, Montgomery county, were married at the residence of the bride's father, Rev. W. D. Bussey, last Wednesday evening, the 9th inst...

Mr. John D. Dupree came to Hawkinsville this (Wednesday) morning for a coffin for the remains of Mrs. Dupree, wife of his brother Luke. On Tuesday Mr. Luke Dupree left his wife sitting by a fire in her room, with her children. She was not well, but was able to sit up, and was parching ground peas. Soon after Mr. Dupree left the house, one of his little children ran down to the field and told him that his mother was sick - to run home. When Mr. Dupree reached the house, a spectacle, sad, horrible, and sickening presented itself. His wife had fallen into the fire and was burned to death - her body was burned to a crisp...

Vol 19, No. 52, Thursday Morning, 24 Dec.1885:

Obituary. Mary Bryant Dupree, wife of L. S. Dupree, and daughter of James A. and C. G. Williams, was born March 27, 1860, and died December 15, 1885. Her parents died when she was quite young, and she was raised by her step-parents, to whom she was strongly attached and who manifested great interest in her welfare. She connected herself with the Missionary Baptist church more than a year since and was a worthy and consistant member. She leaves a husband, an only sister, and two little sweet children. (Girls) ... A Friend.

Mr. S. F. Rogers, the county treasurer of Dooly county, died at his home in Vienna last Sunday. Shep Rogers was a popular young man and had many friends who were pained to hear of his death.

Mr. W. F. Ferguson, of Hawkinsville, and Miss Virgie Raiford, of Cochran, were happily married at the Methodist Church in Cochran on Sunday afternoon last. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. S. Ramsay, and was witnessed by a large circle of friends of the young people.

Mrs. Eliza Hart, widow of Crawford Hart, left Hawkinsville on Saturday last for Trenton, Louisiana. Mrs. Hart accompanied her son Wilson, who returned here on a visit a few days ago. He left Hawkinsville twenty-eight years ago and settled in Louisiana, and this was his first visit to his old home since his departure in 1857. Crawford Hart, who was an old citizen of Hawkinsville, moved to Atlanta since the war, and died there in 1880. Mrs. Hart goes out to Louisiana to live with her son. She did not sell her property here.

Wilcox County, Sibbie, Ga., Dec. 14, 1885 - Editor Dispatch: ...Mr. James Crawford's wife died on Nov. 19th. Mr. John Brown's infant died on the same day (Nov. 19th). Bangor

Marriages From The Dooly Vindicator of last week: Married, on Sunday last Mr. Amison, of Johnson county, and Miss Vienna Bedgood, of Arabi; Mr. John Blankenship was married to Miss Minnie Burgess one day last week, Justice

Wilkes officiating; Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Judge S. Adams, of Turkey Creek, on Thursday, Mr. Albert Smith and Miss Ida Adams, Rev. John L. Godwin officiating; Sunday morning last, at the residence of Mr. J. J. Moring, in Dooly county, Mr. Wm. T. Folds and Mrs. Fanni Herzogg were united in the holy bonds of matrimony, Judge J. D. Hargrove officiating; Mr. Jasper Turner lead to the hymeneal altar one of Byromville's fairest daughters, in the person of Miss Lizzie Swearingen, last Thursday night, at the residence of the brides's father, near Byromville. The ceremony was performed in a most impressive manner by Rev. M. C. Jordan; We learn that on last Thursday at the residence of the bride's mother, in Dooly county, Mr. J. W. Hatcher and Miss Josephine Causey were united in wedlock. Also at the same time and place Mr. John Lindsay and Miss Mittie Causey were led to the matrimonial altar and linked their hearts together as man and wife.

Vol. 20, No. 1, Thursday Morning, 7 Jan.1886:

Died, at her home in Irwin county, Ga., on December 24th, 1885, Miss Sarah Paulk, daughter of Elbert and Rachel Paulk, aged about sixteen years... J. B.

Mr. J. D. McMillan, of Worth county, and Miss Louisa Nobles, of Dooly, were married at the residence of Mr. L. Nobles, near Vienna, on the 24th December by J. T. Carlisle, Esq.

The Misses Walker, daughters of Mr. Luther Walker, of Union Springs, Ala., are in Hawkinsville on to a visit to their kinsman, Col. Geo W. Jordan.

Mr. J. S. Sewell, who moved from Chambers county, Alabama, to this county in 1865, was preparing last week to return with his family to his old home. He has been a citizen of Pulaski for twenty years.

From Dooly Vindicator: Died, at her residence in the 14th district of Dooly county, on the 22nd ult., Mrs. Sarah Smith, widow of the late Daniel Smith, and was buried last Friday at the family burying ground. On Christmas day she would have been 63 years old. She leaves seven children to mourn her loss. The bereaved family have our heartfelt sympathy in their affliction.

Vol. 20, No. 2, Thursday Morning 14 Jan.1886:

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Vol. 20, No. 3, Thursday Morning, 21 Jan.1886:

Mr. W. T. Wilcox, of Temperance, Telfair county, Ga., and Miss Mattie Hamilton, daughter of the late Senator John J. Hamilton, of Dodge county, were married at the home of the bride's mother, in Eastman, last week.

Mrs. Annie M. Sapp, wife of Mr. D. T. Sapp, died at her home four miles east of Hawkinsville, on the 9th inst., aged about twenty years. Mrs. Sapp was a sister of Mrs. D. L. Thomas and a half sister of Mr. W. H. Hughes. She left a babe two weeks old.

Married, on the 14th inst., at the residence of the bride's parents, Turkey Creek, Dooly county, by Rev. Robt. Owens, Mr. J. B. Smith and Miss A. L. Forehand, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Forehand... A Subscriber

Vol. 20, No. 4, Thursday Morning, 28 Jan.1886:

Mrs. Johnson, wife of the late Dr. A. J. Johnson of Pondtown district, Dodge county, met with a horrible death last week. Last Thursday she called a negro, who was passing her place, and asked him to cut some wood for her. This was the last time she was seen alive. Friday afternoon some one in the neighborhood called to see her. The poor old woman was lying on the floor, dead, her head resting on a bed of ashes in the fire place, her nose and hair burned off, her eyes burned out, and every particle of her clothing burned off. She was buried Saturday.

From Houston Home Journal: Mr. W. W. Wimberly, formerly of Houston county, died at his home in Rome, Ga., one day last week...

Died, in Hawkinsville, Ga., January 21, 1886, Mrs. Nancy H. Brown, aged sixty-two years, wife of Mr. Gideon Brown. She died at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. Samuel Fitzgerald. Mrs. Brown was a member of the Methodist church, having joined it at Albany, Ga. in 1866. The burial took place on Friday last at the cemetery here, the funeral services being performed at the grave by Rev. E. J. Burch.

Mr. A. B. Floyd and Miss Ida Quattlebaum, of Dooly, were married at the residence of the bride's mother in Snow on Wednesday, 28th ult. Rev. W. R. Steely officiating.

On Thursday night last, about eleven o'clock, Hon. H. H. Whitfield, postmaster of Hawkinsville died very suddenly at his residence... Dr. Riley stated that death resulted from pulmonary apoplexy. Judge Whitfield was one of our oldest and most esteemed citizens. He would have been sixty years of age in April next. He was engaged in the practice of law in Hawkinsville thirty-five years ago, and for succeeding years he was one of the largest merchants here. He has held many positions of honor and trust, and was scrupulously honest and just in the discharge of all his obligations. Judge Whitfield was Judge of Pulaski County Court for eight years. He was county treasurer and mayor of Hawkinsville for one term each. Last year he was appointed postmaster of Hawkinsville by President Cleveland, and has had charge of the office since July last. His appointment was confirmed a few days ago by the United States Senate. Judge Whitfield leaves a widow and eight children, several of them quite small, but he had, as a prudent husband and father, provided for them... The Remains were buried with Masonic honors at the cemetery in this place on Friday afternoon by Mount Hope Lodge F. & A. M. He was also a member of Anderson Lodge, I.O.O.F. The funeral procession was very large. All the stores and business houses were closed in respect to the memory of the deceased.

Eastman, Ga., Feb. 2. - Judge John J. Rozar, the worthy ordinary of Dodge county, was married last Thursday night to Miss Florence Rawlins, daughter of sheriff Rawlins, at the home of the bride's parents by Rev. P. A. Jesup.

Vol. 20, No. 6, Thursday Morning, 11 Feb.1886:

Mr. John B. Wade, aged about twenty four years, died of pneumonia at his home three miles below Hawkinsville on Saturday morning last at two o'clock. The burial took place on Sunday at Bluff Creek church.

The Dodge County Journal reports the accidental killing of Calvin, the little ten or twelve year old son of Mr. John C. Thompson, residing in the Rawlins neighborhood. (Crushed by a log.)

Mrs. Susan E. Dunaway, died at her home in Dooly county, Ga., January 8th, 1886. For many years she was a meek and consistant member of the Missionary Baptist church, ever living up to it requirements, so far as was in her power... She lived for her children (four boys), but her sympathy would naturally go out to her afflicted child, who for more than four years she nursed and ministerd to day and night, and much of the time expecting every moment to see him close his eyes in death... Friend

Vol. 20, No. 7, Thursday Morning, 18 Feb. 1886:

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Vol. 20, No. 8, Thursday Morning, 25 Feb.1886:

Mr. Chessie S. McLeod, of Wilcox county, died of pneumonia on Sunday morning last.

Married, on Wednesday last, at the residence of the bride's father, Judge Jacob Watson, in this place, Mr. Homer Walker, of Longstreet, and Miss Lee Watson were happily united in wedlock, Rev. E. J. Coates officiating.

On Tuesday morning, Mr. John W. Crump, living four miles above Cochran and one mile from Bethany church, in this county, fell dead while at work. He was engaged in building a rail fence. His two sons and son-in-law were not far away. One of his sons saw him fall and ran to him, and found him dead. ...Mr. Crump, whenever engaged with his wife in conversation on the subject of death, would exact from her a promise that, if he died first, she would not allow his body to be buried under two days and a half. In compliance with his request the burial will take place on Thursday afternoon, 25th inst., at Bethany Curch.

Vol. 20, No. 9, Thursday Morning, 4 Mar.1886:

Mr. T. Anderson died at the home of his brother, Mr. Wm. M. Anderson, near Hawinsville, on Monday last of pneumonia.

McVille, Telfair county, Feb. 24 - Rev. Wm. Bussey, of this county, died very suddenly yesterday morning about sun up...

Vol. 20, No. 10, Thursday Morning, 11 Mar.1886:

Mr. E. C. Oneal and Miss Emma Thomas, of Laurens county, were married at Dublin on Sunday before last.

John Howard Lane, aged about twenty-one, died very suddenly at his home on the east side of the river on Tuesday evening last. His death is supposed to have been caused by apoplexy.

At the residence of Judge Jacob Watson, in Hawkinsville, on Tuesday last, Dr. Joseph Reynolds, of Lumber City, and Miss Fannie Baker, of Eastman, were joined in the hold bonds of wedlock by Rev. E. J. Burch.

Marriages in Dooly. The Vindicator of last week announces the following marriages: At the residence of the bride's brother, on the 28th ult., by Rev. J. R. Fields, Mr. W. C. Bush, to Miss Victoria Napier; On the 28th ult., at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Jasper Peavey to Miss Minnie McCormick, Rev. T. J. Evers officiating.

On Thursday evening last, 4th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. S. D. Stephens, Mr. J. J. Williams and Miss Bettie Stevens were united in holy bonds of wedlock, R. E. Reynolds, Esq., officiating. All of Pulaski county.

One of the saddest deaths that has occurred in our community for a long time was that of Mrs. Wm. Ferguson, wife of our young fellow-townsman Mr. W. F. Ferguson, which took place on Saturday evening last at their home one mile from town. Mrs. Ferguson was formerly Miss Virgie Raiford, and was raised in Cochran... She had been married only about three months, Mr. Ferguson having brought her to his home in Hawkinsville last December a bride. A large concourse of friends and relatives attended the burial, which took place at the cemetery Sunday evening. Rev. E. J. Burch conducted the service at the grave.

Mr. Bryant A. Wood, an old citizen of Dooly, thrown from his buggy and killed on Friday last. Mr. Thomas A. McIver, of Dooly, came to Hawkinsville for a coffin for the remains of his brother-in-law, Mr. Bryant A. Wood, who was killed on Thursday evening last... Mr. Wood was about sixty years of age, and was a native of this county. He had lived in Dooly most of his life, having married a daughter of the late Thomas Cobb, of that county. He leaves a widow and two sons - Bryant and John. One of his sons, Thomas, died a year or two ago, and Daniel met his death four years ago by the accidental discharge of his gun while out hunting. A coffin was prepared by Mr. A. Schneider, and the burial took place on Saturday last at the old Thomas Cobb burial ground. The service was conducted by the Masonic fraternity, the deceased being a member of Millwood Lodge.

Chauncey, Ga., March 1: Mrs. Ray, wife of Mr. J. A. Ray, died last Thursday night about midnight. She leaves a husband and three little ones to mourn her death. Rev. William D. Bussey plumed his wings to take flight to his eternal home on the 23rd of February, 1886, at 7 o'clock a.m... His wife and one of his daughters were with him in his last moments, but could do nothing for him. He was seventy-one years of age, and has been a consistent member of the Methodist Church from a youth... Yam Yam

From Houston Home Journal: Dr. Jno. B. Laidler, Mr. J. M. Marshall and Miss M. M. Boggess left Perry yesterday for Sacramento, California. Miss Boggess is returning home after visiting her sister, Mrs. Dr. John Laidler, near Spoonville in this county. Mr. Marshall is going out to look at the far western country, and may locate there. Dr. J. B. Laidler, who is a son of Dr. John Laidler, of this county, will locate in Sacramento, where he will practice his profession. We wish him unbounded success, and all of them a pleasant trip.

Vol. 20, No. 11, Thursday Morning, 18 Mar.1886:

Mr. & Mrs. P. A. Robuck's infant daughter died on Thuesday last and was buried this (Wednesday) afternoon at the cemetery in Hawkinsville.

Vol. 20, No. 12, Thursday Morning, 25 Mar.1886:

Mr. B. Walker, one of Macon's oldest citizens, was attacked with apoplexy and dropped dead in his garden last Thursday while hoeing some onions.

Mr. Joseph Tillman has sold the Waycross Reporter to Mr. D. B. Sweat, a practical printer, and formerly an employe in that office.

Mr. S. H. Christopher has retired from the Montezuma Record and will engage in the newspaper business at Buena Vista, in Marion county.

Last Monday, at Abbeville, Wilcox county, we met Mr. Nat Statham, who is one of the oldest men in Georgia, and was among the first settlers of Western Georgia when the country was inhabited by the Indians. Mr. Statham was born in Washington county, Ga., on the 20th of June, 1795. ...sixty-eight years ago he was engaged in a battle with the Indians on the west side of the Ocmulgee river, at a point a few miles below Abbeville... Speaking of him a few years ago the late Gen. Eli Warren, of Houston, said that Nat Statham in his younger days was one of the stoutest men he ever knew, and was not afraid of any man in a rough and tumble knock-down fight... Mr. Statham will be ninety-one years old on the 20th day of June next. He told us last Monday that his memory is good, and that he is as competent to attend to his business as he ever was. He has had three sets of natural teeth... A few years ago "Uncle Nat" told the editor of the Dispatch that he had never taken a dose of medicine in his life except a drink of whisky. Last Monday we asked him if he had yet taken any medicine. "No", said he, "I never take any medicine except a little whisky, and occasionally a dose of Dr. Tutt's pills to act upon my liver."...

Dr. M. S. Jobson died at his room adjoining his dental office, in Hawkinsville, this (Wednesday) morning about one o'clock. The announcement of his death was received with great regret by the entire community, and will sadden the hearts of many friends not alone in Houston and Pulaski but in all parts of the State... He had practiced dentistry in Hawkinsville regularly since January, 1871, and, though he recognized Perry as his home, he devoted one-half of time to his profession in Hawkinsville. During the late war Dr. Jobson, though quite young, enlisted in a company raised in Houston county by Capt. Charley T. Goode. The company became a part of the 11th Georgia Regiment, and Capt. Goode became a Colonel. The 11th regiment formed a part of General Tige Anderson's famous brigade. In one of the battles in Virginia young Jobson was seriously wounded, and after his recovery he was detailed by General Anderson as his private secretary. Dr. Jobson was considered dangerously ill last week, as was announced in the Dispatch. His sister, his neices and his two brothers from Perry and Macon have been with him. The remains will be taken to Perry and buried tomorrow. His sister, Mrs. Wm. Elder, and his neice, Mrs. Joe King, from Athens, are nursing him. Brothers not named.

Died, at her home in Pulaski county, near Mt. Calvary, on the 10th inst., Miss Mary Wade, sister of W. H. Wade. She was a devoted sister, a kind friend, and none knew her but to love her. She was a devoted member of the Baptist church at Mr. Calvary, where she was in constant attendance;... A. Friend

Obituary. Departed this life, in Pulaski county, Ga., Mrs. Mary Floyd, in the 38th year of her age. She was born and raised in Pulaski county, and was married to Mr. A. Floyd on April 7th (not given). She was the mother of five children, two of whom died before their mother. She was the daughter of Mr. Willis H. Wade. She united herself with the Baptist church at Mt. Calvary some 20 years ago, and lived a consistent member until her death. She leaves a husband, three small children, a father, mother, brothers, sisters and a host of other relatives and friends to mourn her loss, ...

We clip the following from the Weekly (Fla.) Tallehassean, whose editor, Mr. R. Don McLeod, visited this section a few days ago: During our brief stop in Georgia we were glad to meet our old friend Capt. Nat Statham of Wilcox county. The Captain is now in his 92d year, and looks about the same as he did twenty years ago. He is still quite sprightly and reads fine print without glasses. In the early settlement of this county, which was then Gadsden, Captain Statham came to Florida as a carpenter. He helped build the first frame house ever erected in Tallashassee, and also helped to build the first State House Florida ever had. It was a frame wooden building, and stood somewhere near the southwest corner of the present State House square. Capt. Statham was a gallant Indian fighter in the struggle between the Whites and the Indians, both in Georgia and Florida.

Vol. 20, No. 13, Thursday Morning, 1 Apr.1886:

Married, at the residence of Mr. E. H. Thombley, in the 6th district of Dooly county, on Thursday evening, March 25th, Mr. S. N. Lupo and Miss Alice Nobles,

J. T. Carlisle, Esq., officiating.

On Tuesday morning last Mr. M. W. Taylor, of Longstreet, and Miss Smithia Lucas, of this place, were united in the holy bonds of Wedlock at the residence of Mr. F. H. Bozeman, in Hawkinsville, Rev. Mr. Winchester, of Macon, performing the ceremony.

Mrs. Fannie Reynolds, wife of Dr. J. B. Reynolds, died at Lumber City, Ga., last Saturday evening. The deceased was formerly Miss Fannie Baker, of Eastman, and was married about a month ago at the residence of Judge Jacob Watson, in Hawkinsville, Rev. E. J. Burch, performing the ceremony.

Rev. William Hurt, as esteemed citizen of Laurens county, died last week.

Mrs. W. W. McLendon, of this place, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. P. A. Robuck of Hawkinsville. Montezuma Record

Our community deeply sympathizes with Mr. & Mrs. R. A. Merritt in the death of their little fourteen-months old son, Joseph Hancox Merritt, which occurred on Monday last at one o'clock, after an illness of two weeks of congestion of the brain.

Vol. 20, No. 14, Thursday Morning, 8 Apr.1886:

Mr. J. M. Burrows, Sr., died at his home about twelve miles below Hawkinsville on Wednesday last. Mr. Burrows had been invalid for a long time, and his death was the result of a complication of diseases. Mr. Burrows was born in Ohio county, West Virginia, January 3, 1815, and was seventy-one years old. He moved to Pulaski in 1840, and has been a citizen of the county ever since. Mr. Burrows followed the trade of a tailor in Hawkinsville for about twenty-five years, but his health becoming impaired he abandoned this business and moved to his farm in the country soon after the close of the war, where he spent the remainder of his days. The deceased was the father of nine children, all of whom, except one, are living, the youngest being twenty-one years of age.

Vol. 20, No. 15, Thursday Morning, 15 Apr.1886:

Mrs. Orlena Stevens, wife of Mr. T. L. Stevens, of this county, died after a brief illness on Friday, April 9, 1886. The deceased was highly esteemed by her many friends and relatives, who deeply regret her untimely death.

On the 21st of last month little Dorrill Maner, the ten-year old grandson of Judge Darling Johnson, of Wilcox county, fell from a china tree, crushing his skull. The little fellow lingered in great agony for two days and nights, when death ended his sufferings.

Mr. Ephriam S. Mann died of pneumonia at his home in Hawkinsville on Saturday night last. Mr. Mann was a little upward of seventy years of age. He had been a citizen of Hawkinsville about twenty-five years, having moved here from

Houston county, where he was born and raised. The burial took place Sunday evening at Orange Hill cemetery. Rev. E. J. Burch conducted the services at the grave.

Vol. 20, No. 16, Thursday Morning, 22 Apr.1886:

Old Uncle Jimmy Williamson will preach the funeral of his dear departed daughter, Mrs. Mary Maloy, on the first Lord's day in May, at the Baptist church of Sharon, in Telfair county.

Rev. J. G. Wright died at his home in Cochran on Thursday last from internal injuries sustained by an accident on the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia road which occurred about five or six weeks ago near Chauncey, while on the way to McVille to fill an appointment. Mr. Wright had but recently been ordained a minister of the Gospel. He leaves a wife and five children.

Little Greta, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Joiner, died at their home in this place on Friday last.

Mrs. John Beacham died of pneumonia at her home in McRae on the 9th inst. Mrs. Beacham was a true member of the Missionary Baptist church, and leaves many friends to mourn her untimely death... Alpha

Vol. 20, No. 17, Thursday Morning, 29 Apr.1886:

Hon. John Larkey, who died at his home in Telfair county, Ga., on the 6th day of February, 1886, was a native of Scott county, Virginia and was born the 17th day of June, 1812. He moved to Georgia in 1835, and was engaged in the war with the Seminole Indians in Florida. He was a member of the command of General Nelson. After the return of the command to Georgia, General Nelson was made superintendent of the penitentiary at Milledgeville, and Mr. Larkey was appointed to a position by General Nelson. Mr. Larkey and General Nelson were warm friends throughout life. Mr. Larkey settled near Jacksonville, in Telfair county, about 1840. He was some years afterwards elected sheriff, and filled that office in his adopted county for twelve years. He was held in high esteem by his neighbors and friends, and his death was sincerely mourned by his wife and son. A. Friend

Vol. 20, No. 18, Thursday Morning, 6 May 1886:

(Compiler's Note: Someone has clipped an article from this page "what it contained is unknown".)

Mr. Charley Barlow, of Dooly county, died of consumption at the residence of his sister, Mrs. D. M. Borum, in Hawkinsville, on Sunday morning last. The deceased was about 26 years old. The remains were carried to Dooly county for burial.

A difficulty occurred at Vienna, in Dooly county, on Wednesday evening last between Jno. C. DeGraffenreid and Jeff D. Busbee, resulting in the shooting

and instant killing of the latter by the former. Col. Geo. W. Busbee, father of Jeff Busbee, attempted to interfere, and was also fired at twice by DeGraffenreid, but without effect. (Jeff) leaves a wife and an infant child. DeGraffenreid is well known in Pulaski county, where he formerly lived and has relatives. He was about eighteen or nineteen years old. After the killing he defied arrest and made his escape.

Vol 20, No. 19, Thursday Morning, 13 May 1886:

Mr. Jack Barren, a well known carpenter, died in Hawkinsville last week, aged fifty-one years.

Mrs. Dora Trippe, wife of W. E. Trippe, of Dooly county, died on Monday of last week.

Mr. Thos. J. Capers returned to Hawkinsville yesterday from Gainesville, Florida, where he went to attend the marriage of his sister, Miss Bessie Capers, with Mr. E. N. Clark, on the 6th inst. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Clark, father of the groom.

Coffee County Items: Willacoochee, Ga., May 10, 1886. Mr. John Gaskin died last Friday night of paralysis. He was a good citizen, and was about sixty years of age. He leaves a widow, they had no children...

In Memoriam: Mrs Mary Bolin departed this life on the 23rd day of April, 1886. She was a faithful and consistent member of the Missionary Baptist church until the hour of her death... She was buried at Big Creek church, Rev. O. D. Mulkey conducting the funeral services...

Mrs. Elizabeth M. Daniels, who had been invalid for sereval months. She died peacefully and calmly, rejoicing in her Savior's praise... R.

Alba, Irwin Co., Ga., April 26, 1886: A dispatch was received by Mrs. Henry G. Wood on Saturday last announcing the death of her sister, Mrs. Inez Byrd, at Rexford, Florida. Mrs. Byrd was formerly Miss Inez Hudspeth, and was raised in Hawkinsville.

Vol. 20, No. 20, Thursday Morning, 20 May 1886:

McRae, Ga., May 17, 1886. Died, at her home in Telfair county, Georgia, on the 13th day of May, 1886, Mrs. Bussey, wife of the Rev. William D. Bussey, who died very suddenly about three months ago. Mrs. Bussey leaves a large family of children and many friends to mourn her loss. Her remains were interred at Chauncey, Ga. on the 14th instant.

Miss Lucy McCormick, the lovely daughter of Mr. David G. McCormick, died at the home of her parents in Hawkinsville this (Wednesday) morning about one o'clock... Miss Lucy was recovering from an attack of roseola, when she was stricken with typhoid pneumonia, which ended in death...

Died, at her home in Telfair county, Ga., on the 13th day of May, 1886, Mrs. Catherine Ashley, was born in Robertson county, N.C. on the 29th day of February, 1808, came to Telfair county in early life and was happily married to John Ashley who died about the year of 1842, leaving her a widow with 7 children. She was a sister of Mr. Alex McDuffie, the only one of the family now living. She was a consistent member of the Missionary Baptist church for forty years, and had lived 56 years on the place where she died... A large concourse of friends followed the remains to their final resting place where Rev. Mr. Johnson officiated in a most solemn and impressive manner... (Poem followed. Dearest Aunt etc.)

s/Fannie A. McDuffie

Vol. 20, No. 21, Thursday Morning, 27 May 1886:

Capt. William Taylor died at his residence in Hawkinsville this (Wednesday) morning about eight o'clock after an illness of several days. Capt. Taylor was seventy-six years of age, and was one of the oldest residents of Hawkinsville. Before the war, and for a short time since the war, he was engaged in running boats between Hawkinsville and Savannah. He was one of the land marks of this country, and no man was better known between here and Darien. He leaves a widow and one son and one daughter.

Mr. Joseph Miller, who accidently shot himself in the arm while out hunting a few weeks ago, died from the effects of his wound at his home in Houston county on Thursday evening last... He was the only son of Capt. William Miller of this county.

John Burrows Dead - But few of our citizens knew that Mr. Burrows was seriously ill until Friday morning last, when his physician, Dr. Smith, announced that he would hardly live through the day. His disease was pneumonia, and he died quitely at an early hour on Saturday morning. During the late war Mr. Burrows was a private in Company G, Eight Georgia Regiment. After the surrender at Appomatox he returned home, arriving in Hawkinsville a few days before the Federal soldiers reached here with Jefferson Davis as prisoner. John Burrows, with a comrade, followed the captors and the fallen chief to Macon, in the hope of finding some means of effecting the escape or release of the ex-President, but failed, and Burrows and his comrade were arrested. Mr. Burrows went down to Savannah a few weeks ago to see Jefferson Davis, and when they met Burrows reminded "Old Jeff" of their meeting when he was a prisoner. Mr. Davis said he remembered it and remembered Burrows, and asked him to visit Mississippi and call on him at his home at Beauvoir. Mr. Burrows, after his return from Savannah said he could now die happily - he had "seen Old Jeff Davis once more."

Telfair County... Graham School House, May 18, 1886. ...Mrs. Catherine Ashley died at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. George W. Irvin, on the morning of the 13th inst...

Vol. 20, No. 22, Thursday Morning, 3 Jun.1886:

From Houston Home Journal: At about dark last Thursday evening a mule with

plow gear on ran wildly up to T. J. Tooke's horse lot, about five miles north of Perry. Mr. Tooke recognized the mule as one belonging to his brother, and at once saw that his brother, Mr. R. A. Tooke, was entangled in the gear, and had been dragged along the ground by the mule. The mule was caught and the injured man released, only to gasp a few times and die. Mr. Robert Tooke lived near his brother, and had been plowing in his farm. Mr. Robert A. Tooke was about 26 years old...

Vol. 20, No. 23, Thursday Morning, 10 June 1886:

Mr. R. F. Napier, familiarly called Freeman Napier, died in Hawkinsville on Wednesday evening last. He was a victim to consumption. The remains were taken to Hayneville, Houston county, and buried near the home of his father-in-law Major E. H. Wimberly. Mr. Napier left a wife and three small children.

Mr. A. J. Pound, who was in Hawkinsville a few days ago on his return from Wilcox, Irwin and Worth counties, where he had been to purchase beef cattle, died suddenly last night. The following are the particulars: Milledgeville, June 6 - A. J. Pound, Esq., was found dead last night at about 8:30 o'clock, sitting in a chair on the front porch of the residence of his son, Mr. J. B. Pound, in this city. Mr. Pound was in his usual health. He ate a hearty supper. The corner's jury today rendered a verdict that death was caused by paralysis of the heart. Mr. Pound moved to this city from Putnam county, and was well thought of by all who knew him. He was sixty years of age.

In Memoriam - Mrs. Land, wife of Mr. Henry Land, departed this life on May 19th. She was a daughter of Rev. O. D. Mulkey. She was confined to the bed of affliction for several weeks, when at her request she was removed to Mr. Joel Hill's, where she died, aged about twenty-eight years. Mrs. Land was not a member of any church, but she never murmured at the thought of death. She leaves a loving husband and two babes,... Her remains were interred at Salem Church, Abba, Ga., May 19th, 1886. A. Friend

Vol. 20, No. 24, Thursday Morning, 17 June 1886:

Mr. J. M. Nettles and Miss M. A. Carlise were married at the residence of Mr. W. E. Bryant in Irwin county June 6th, Rev. O. D. Mulkey officiating.

Mr. Thomas A. Judge, of Eastman, and Mr. John R. Judge, of Hawkinsville, went up to Houston county last week to attend their mother in her illness, which proved fatal. She died on Saturday last, aged about sixty-five years.

Obituary - Died, at Gum Creek, Ga., May 19, 1886, of pneumonia, Mrs. Susan A. G. James, wife of J. R. James... She was a kind wife and a loving mother; none knew her but to esteem her.

Vol 20, No 25, Thursday Morning, 24 June 1886:

Mr. Duff Bembry and Miss Minnie Fountain, daughter of Mrs. W. Jenks Fountain, were married at the home of the latter in this county on Thursday evening

last.

Week before last Charley Warren, the nine-year-old son of Mr. George W. Warren, of Dooly county, was bitten by a rattlesnake while picking blackberries in the field near his father's house. Everything possible was done to save his life, but to no avail. After living in the most intense agony for several hours the little fellow died.

Mr. W. H. Harrell, an aged and highly respected citizen of Dodge county, died after a brief illness on Tuesday of last week at his home about nine miles from Eastman. His remains were interred with Masonic honors on Thursday following his death. The deceased was a brother of Hon. L. L. Harrell and Mr. John W. Harrell of Pulaski, and of Mr. W. W. Harrell, of Dodge.

In Memoriam. Little Jim, aged eight years one month and ten days, son of Wright and Mary Harrell, departed this life June 10th, 1886... He bore his affictions patiently, which, after lingering for sometime, and ultimately resulting in a severe attack of typhoid fever of about two weeks' duration, were relieved by the ascension of his soul to Him who gave it. He was a consistent member of our (the Inglewood) Sunday school, and always evinced a pleasure, when possible, and in receiving the copious instructions so generously rendered by his worthy teacher... His remains were interred at Hopewell church, near the little mounds that marked the resting places of the bodies of his little brother and sister, who have gone before him. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. M. Williamson, together with a tribute of praise paid him by his teacher, Mr. J. T. Lee. Little Jim leaves a father, mother, several brothers and sisters, and a host of relatives to mourn his loss... A Cousin, Inglewood, Dodge Co., Ga., June 14, 1886.

Vol. 20, No. 26, Thursday Morning, 1 Jul.1886:

None noted.

Vol. 20, No. 27, Thursday Morning, 8 Jul.1886:

Missing. (Compiler's Note: Ref. page (3) column (1) - Paper stated, next issue would be a small sheet of legal advertisements. This sheet was not inserted.)

Vol. 20, No. 28, Thursday Morning, 15 Jul.1886:

The remains of Mrs. Hugh L. Dennard, who died at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. D. G. Hughes, in Twiggs county, were brought to Macon yesterday and were sent to Perry last night. Mrs. Dennard was one of the best known and highly esteemed ladies in Houston county, and the news of her death will be read with pain by all who knew of her and her good works. Macon Telegraph

Mr. J. T. McCormick, familiarly called Tode McCormick, died at his home on the east side of the river Thursday, July 1st. He was about thirty-two years of age, and was the only brother of Mr. J. C. McCormick, of this place. He leaves a wife and four small children.

Mr. W. M. Miller and Miss Nancy J. Faircloth were married at the residence of the bride's mother, in Wilcox county, on the 6th inst., Rev. T. J. Adams officiating.

At the residence of the bride's father in Wilcox county on June 13, 1886, Mr. Wm. Bowen and Miss Nancy Wood were married by Rev. T. J. Adams.

Miss Lizzie Hamilton died at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. A. Hamilton, in this place, on Thursday morning last at six o'clock. Miss Lizzie had been sick about three weeks, the disease which caused her death being typhoid fever. She was the daughter and only child of the late Wm. G. Hamilton, who moved to Hawkinsville several years ago from Dooly county. Her remains were interred in Orange Hill cemetery in this place.

Mr. Robert J. Taylor and Miss Mary F. Pate, daughter of Major John H. Pate, will be united in the holy bonds of wedlock this (Wednesday) evening at 7 o'clock at the residence of Mr. McC.(Compiler's Note: Error in Print) Pate, on Pine Level, by Rev. E. J. Burch. Mr. Taylor and his bride will leave Hawkinsville tomorrow for a bridal tour through the North, visiting New York, Niagara Falls, points on the Hudson and elsewhere...

Mrs. M. E. Jennings, wife of Mr. Thos. J. Jennings, of this county, died on the 18th of June.

Mr. Centino Hudspeth, a well known citizen, and for many years a resident of Hawkinsville, died on Thursday, 1st inst., at his home just below Big creek.

Mrs. Lizzie Dykes, wife of Mr. Riley Dykes, and daughter of Mr. James M. Woods, died on Friday last after a protracted illness. The burial took place at Antioch church.

Chauncey, Ga., July 5, 1886. - The matrimonial wave has reached Chauncey and two couples are now driftin onward in the ecstatic anticipations of a newly married life. Mr. W. P. Burt to Miss Nannie Harrel and Mr. Lovett Brown to Miss Sudie English are the contracting parties. (No dates given)

From Macon Telegraph, July 12th: Col. Pulaski S. Holt died at his late residence, 129 Orange street, at half-past three o'clock yesterday afternoon. Col Holt was born in Hancock county in April, 1797, and was consequently eight-nine years old. He was the oldest lawyer in the State, he and the late John P. King, of Augusta, having held the two oldest licenses. His life was an interesting one. With his father he lived in Fort Wilkinson, in Baldwin county, long before Fort Hawkins was built. For thirty-seven years he was a resident of Macon. He had been in feeble health for the past year, and was confined to his bed six weeks prior to his death.

Items from Wilcox - Sibbie, Ga., July 1, 1886. Editor Dispatch:... Prof J. R. Monroe and Mrs. F. E. Reid were married on Monday at 7 o'clock p.m. We wish for them much happiness. Rolla

Hon. Abram R. Clements died at his home in Irwin county, Ga., last week in the seventy-sixth year of his age. He had been a prominent citizen of this county, and was highly esteemed by those who knew him. He was elected to the House of Representatives from his county in 1874. Mr. Clements leaves a large family of children - six sons and four daughters - all grown, and many other relatives and friends to remember him for his love and kindly deeds.

Vol. 20, No. 29, Thursday Morning, 22 Jul.1886:

From Dublin Post: Mr. Early Clark died at Eastman last Friday. He had been suffering for several months with consumption, and, some days ago, went to Atlanta for treatment, with the hope that he might be benefitted, but, finding no relief, started for home, getting as far as Eastman, where the icy fingers of death laid hold of his weak constitution. He was one of Laurens county's most promising young men, and was liked by all who knew him. He leaves several brothers, sisters and a number of friends who deeply deplore his death. He was about twenty-four years of age.

The Southern Herald, published at Liberty, Miss., gives the following account of the death of Mrs. L. F. Collier, a former resident of this county: The death of Mrs. Macie Collier, wife of L. F. Collier, of Liberty, on Tuesday 7th inst., was a sudden and unexpected occurrence. After an illness of about thirty hours the messenger, death, came to relieve her of her sufferings, and to summons her willing spirit into the presence of its Creator. Mrs. Collier was a native of Georgia, and moved to this place with her husband and family last fall, and at the time of her death was thirty-six years old. She was a member of the Baptist church, and her death was that of the righteous, and her end that of the believer in Christ. She leaves a husband and three children and many friends to mourn her loss.

In Memorian... It becomes our painful duty to chronicle the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Dykes, wife of Mr. Riley Dykes. She was a kind and affectionate wife, a devoted daughter, and a kind and loving sister... Maggie M.

Speaking of the Lewis brothers, the Alapaha Star says: ... They are the sons of the late John F. Lewis, of Dooly county, (story of his success). There are four of the Lewis brothers; viz: E. B. Lewis, R. G. Lewis, J. F. Lewis and S. B. Lewis. (They have stores in Montezuma, Ga., Hawkinsville, Ga., and Albany and Valdosta - Their brother-in-law, Mr. D. B. Leonard owns a sore in Vienna.)

Vol. 20, No. 30, Thursday Morning, 29 Jul.1886:

None noted.

Vol. 20, No. 31, Thursday Morning, 5 Aug.1886:

The Post says that Mr. James Herndon, a very old man, was found dead in bed, at his home, ten miles below Dublin, on Sunday morning last...

Miss Carrie Beacham, of McRae and Mr. T. L. Hall, of Baxley, were married by Rev. John E. Sentell, at Baxley, Sunday.

The Dooly Vindicator announces the marriage of Mr. J. H. Gilmore, of Dooly, and Miss Alie Lamar, of Houston county, by the Rev. J. G. Harrison, on July 13th.

Vol. 20, No. 32, Thursday Morning, 12 Aug.1886:

Last Sunday afternoon Mr. J. H. Overby and Miss Lula Alice Urguhart, of Cochran, went out for a buggy ride. The young couple became engaged a short time ago, and though the day for the happy event had not been named they had decided to unite their destinies in early autumn. Sunday afternoon last, while taking their ride, Mr. Overby proposed to the young lady that they should continue their ride to Hawkinsville, procure the license, and have Rev. Mr. Coates perform the ceremony. Miss Urguhart agreed, and they came to Hawkinsville, and were married at the residence of Hon. P. T. McGriff. The bride is a sister of Mr. A. P. Urguhart, a well known merchant of Cochran. Her home is in Florida, but she had been spending the summer in Cochran.

Died, at the residence of her parents, in Telfair county, little Sallie Fussel, daughter of Thomas F. and Margaret E. Fussel, age six years and eight months. Her sickness was of short continuance, but rapid in its results; in the short space of a few days, it laid our dear loved Sally in the cold and silent grave... W.

Mrs. Nena Morgan, sister of Mrs. P. H. Lovejoy, of this place, died at home in Montezuma on Wednesday of last week...

The Alapaha Star of last Saturday chronicled the death of Mr. F. L. Harper, of typhoid fever, at the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. Shade Dorminey, in Berrien county. He was a son of Mr. F. B. Harper, of Irvin county, was twenty-four years of age, and leaves a wife and two children.

From Dooly County Vindicator: Mrs. May Simmons (wife of Robert Simmons) died very suddenly last Friday. She had measles but was not considered dangerously sick but a short time before her demise...; Miss Hattie Bird and Mr. John Odom were married last week. Miss Hattie has been under strict surveilance for some time, the young lady's parents fearing an elopement...

Vol. 20, No. 33, Thursday Morning, 19 Aug.1886:

Mr. C. J. Hester and Miss Mary Johnson, of Cochran, were married in that place last Sunday evening.

Johnnie Stevens, aged eleven years, son of Mr. & Mrs. S. D. Stevens, of this county, died on Sunday last of congestion.

On Monday last, the 9th instant, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Clegg of Schley county celebrated their fifty-ninth marriage anniversary... They are the parents of Hon. V. A. Clegg, of Lee county, one of the best farmers in the State, and Mr.

P. C. Clegg, a successful merchant of Hawkinsville, Ga. The senior Mr. Clegg is in his 79th year and his wife in her 78th year. They have 44 grandchildren, and two great grandchildren... Sumter Republican

In Memoriam... We in this community have been called upon to mourn the sad death of one in our midst, whose loss we deplore and whose presence will be missed of all others among us. Elizabeth Fussell was born in the year 1850 and married Wm. Thos. Fussell, November 27th, 1873, and died on Monday, Aug. 2d, of what the attending physicians pronounced bilious intermittent fever. She was stricken down on Wednesday before her death on Monday, consequently the struggle with the dire disease lasted only six short days, when death claimed its victim. Mrs. Fussel was a devout, Christian hearted woman, and had been a strict and exemplary member of the Methodist church from girlhood, and being reared by strictly religious parents, hers was a life of piety truly worthy of imitation. She leaves six little children to mourn her loss and battle with the vicissitudes of this uncharitable world, the youngest being a babe in the mother's arm. Her husband now has to take the place of father and mother for the six little ones... F. Balloon, Coffee Co., Ga., Aug. 7, 1886.

Vol 20, No. 34, Thursday Morning, 26 Aug.1886:

Married, at the residence of the bride on Thursday evening, August 12th, Mr. Samuel W. Yopp to Miss Ellen Hill, both of Twiggs county, Rev. E. J. Coates officiating.

The Macon Telegraph gives the following account of the romatic marriage of Mr. C. M. Whitehurst, a well known young lawyer of this place, which happy event took place last Thursday. Yesterday was the celebration of the Sunday School at Antioch Church, about fifteen miles from Macon, in Twiggs county. (They were married by Rev. Simeon Tharp.) There as the couple sat in the buggy, Mr. Charles M. Whitehurst and Miss Alice Jones were made man and wife... The bride is the daughter of Col. J. D. Jones, a well known lawyer of Twiggs county,...

Vol. 20, No. 35, Thursday Morning, 2 Sep.1886:

Mr. Henry Clay Culpepper, aged 40 years, died of congestion of the bowels at his home near Gun(m) Creek, Dooly county, on Thursday last, 26th ult.

Married, in Dodge county, on Sunday morning, 22d ult., at the residence of the bride's father, W. H. Wise, Esq., by C. J. Jones, J. P., Mr. J. M. Parkerson and Miss Melvenia Wise.

The Eastman Times chronicles the death of Mrs. M. Hodge, which ocurred on the 22d ult., after a brief illness of bilious fever. The deceased was 43 years old, and was a sister of Hon. J. J. Rozar, ordinary of Dodge county.

Our citizens deeply sympathize with Mr. & Mrs. J. H. Dyches in the death of their little son, George Reid Dyches, which occurred on Friday last at their home in this place. He was a little over a year old and was their only son.

Mrs. Jane M. Turner, grandmother of Mr. E. L. Turner, of the Dispatch office, died at her home in Alapaha, Berrien county, last Wednesday. She was in the seventy-third year of her age, and leaves four children and several grandchildre to mourn her loss.

Items from Wilcox. Mrs. J. A. Barrett died very suddenly on the 23rd ultimo. She had beeen helpless for some time and was 70 years old. Bangor.

Vol 20, No. 36, Thursday Morning, 9 Sep.1886:

Mrs. M. A. Skipper, of this county, died at her home near Goldsboro last Friday evening.

Mr. Robert Sangster, a well known and highly esteemed citizen of Dooly county, died on Friday last.

Mr. J. M. Faircloth and Miss Annie Newell, of Wilcox county, were married last week by Rev. Mr. Murray.

Little Robert Joseph (Taylor) the four year old son of Mr. Robert J. Taylor, died at the home of his father, in this place, on Tuesday last at one o'clock P.M.

We learn from the Macon Telegraph that Hon. Alexander McDuffie, ordinary of Telfair county, was married on Thursday evening last to Mrs. Georgia Ann Peek, A. M. McLauchlin, Esq., performing the ceremony...

Obituary - Again death has visited our midst and claimed for its own our loved lady friend Mrs. Martha A. Webb, who died at her home near Cobbville, Ga., August 27th, after a protracted illness... The deceased was 75 years 6 months and fifteen days old... To the broken-hearted children and grand-children we tender our deepest condolence, and trust that they may look forward to a happy reunion with the loved one.

Vol. 20, No. 37, Thursday Morning, 16 Sep.1886:

Col. Oliver H. Cook died at his home in Thomasville, Ga., on the 7th day of September, 1886. For many years he had been a great sufferer from asthma. He spent the summer of last year at Gainesville, Ga., and it was evident to his friends that he was then exspecting death. Col. Cook will be remembered by the survivors of the 49th regiment of Georgia volunteers during the late war, and just before the close of the war he was elected to the Georgia State senate by the counties of Irwin, Telfair and Montgomery. He moved to Thomasville from Irwin county soon after the war and amassed considerable wealth. He leaves two sons and a widow, she being a sister of Capt. T. D. Wilcox of Irwin.

Vol. 20, No. 38, Thursday Morning, 23 Sep.1886:

Mr. William C. Marr died on the plantation of his brother four miles northeast

of Hawkinsville on Thursday morning last, September 16th, aged forty-one years. Mr. Marr died from an attack of hemorrhagic malerial fever, having been sick about eleven days. The remains were taken to Henderson, Houston county, and buried by the grave of his wife. The deceased was a brother of Mr. Henry B. Marr, of this county, and dearly loved. Four little orphan children are left to be cared for by kind relatives.

Obituary - Died, in Wilcox county, on September 12th, 1886, little Ambrose A. Hobby, aged 10 months and 4 days... L. S.

Mr. Willis Reeves, of Hawkinsville, received on Tuesday last a telegram from Cochran announcing the death of his grandfather, Mr. Charles E. Taylor, at his home on Longstreet, in this county, on Tuesday morning, September 21st. Mr. Taylor was one of the oldest citizens of Pulaski county, being about seventy-five years of age, and before the war he was the wealthiest man in the county. He owned about three hundred slaves, and made annually from four to five hundred bales of cotton. He had lived on Longstreet over sixty years, in fact he lived there all his life except about four years since the war, when he moved to Oxford for the purpose of educating his children. He leaves six sons and two daughters.

Ex-Mayor William A. Jeter and family have moved from Hawkinsville to Brunswick.

The Dublin Gazette announces the marriage of Mr. J. B. Daniel and Miss R. M. Duggan, of Laurens county, which occurred on the 9th inst.

The cards are out for the marriage this evening of Mr. Henry E. Taylor, of Hawkinsville, and Miss Mattie Belle Davis, of Macon, at the residence of Mr. G. M. Davis, in Macon.

Vol. 20, No. 39, Thursday Morning, 30 Sep.1886:

James Brown, son of Judge W. Ira Brown, died at his home in Wilcox county last week.

The Macon Telegraph of 24th instant gives the following account of the marriage of our popular fellow-townsman, Mr. H. E. Taylor. Mr. Henry E. Taylor, of Hawkinsville, was married last night to Miss Mattie Belle Davis by Rev. E. W. Warren, of the First Baptist Church. The ceremony was performed at the residence of Mr. G. M. Davis, the father of the bride, on orange street, at 8 o'clock, in the presence of the family and a few immediate friends. The presents were numerous, and were not only valuable but beautiful. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor leave today for Hawkinsville, where they will stop with relations for a while, and will then go to Florida, their future home.

Col. W. G. Collier died at Fort Valley, Ga., on Friday afternoon last.

Vol. 20, No. 40, Thursday Morning, 7 Oct.1886:

Telfair Items. We regret to chronicle the sad death of Mr. Hugh McLean, of Clayville, in the lower part of this county. The particulars as we learn are about as follows. Mr. McLean left his home in the company with his wife, on Saturday morning previous to his death. He went up to Mr. Dave Cravey's, who lives in the upper portion of the county, where he spent Saturday night. The next day he started back and got as far as Mr. Jack Cameron's at whose house he stopped for the night. He ate a hearty supper and retired apparently as well as usual, but about two o'clock he complained of having the colic, and was in a great deal of misery, and kept growing worse until about five o'clock Monday evening, September 27th, when he died. He was buried in the old family graveyard near the town of McRae on Wednesday morning at nine o'clock. Mr. McLean was nearly seventy years old. He leaves a wife and four children to mourn his death... Alpha

Dooly County Items. From the Vindicator: ... Mr. R. Bowen, of Macon, formerly of Henderson, Ga., was buried at the latter place last week. Mr. Bowen will long be missed by his many friends; At the residence of Mrs. Carrie Morgan, Sabbath evening, Sept. 26th, Mr. B. F. Forbes and Miss Eva Holmes were married by Rev. C. E. Boland.

Mrs. Sherrill, wife of Mr. W. A. Sherrill died at Cochran on Sunday last, leaving an infant babe.

In Memoriam: Miss Carrah B. Slaughter died in Pulaski county, September 19th, 1886, aged 17 years and 2 days from an attack of hemorrhagic fever. She was the only daughter of Mr. Henry T. and Sarah C. Slaughter... Her Aunt M. T. P.

Vol 20, No. 41, Thursday Morning, 14 Oct.1886:

At Lothair, in Montgomery county, last week, during the election, a dispute occurred between I. J. Davis and Tom Miller. Davis shot and killed Miller, and was arrested and taken to jail at McRae, Telfair county. Both white men.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Leonard, of Vienna, Ga., lost their little daughter, Mary Lou, by death, on Saturday night last. The little girl was four years of age, and their second oldest child.

Laurens County Items. From Dublin Post: ... Mr. C. C. Smith died at his home in the upper edge of the county at 9 o'clock last Sunday morning. He had a chill about the middle of last week, and at 10 o'clock Saturday was taken with a congestive chill which rendered him unconscious for twenty-three hours, when he died. He leaves a loving family and a large circle of friends to mourn his death...

Vol. 20, (No. 45)* Thursday Morning, 21 Oct 1886:

*(Compiler's Note: No. only in error.)

Mr. P. P. Tyson and Miss M. A. Fenn were married at the residence of the bride's father, in Wilcox county, on the 10th inst.

Little Edith Russel, the infant daughter and only child of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Cox, died at their home in this place last Tuesday night.

Mr. Joe Rycraft, of Wilcox county, and Miss Amanda Wade, of this county, were married at the residence of the bride's brother, Mr. C. W. Wade, two miles below Hawkinsville on Sunday, October 10th, Judge L. C. Ryan officiating.

Mr. J(ohn) E. Oberry, a well known and highly respected citizen, who for the past several years has been a resident of Cochran, died of cancer at his old home in Virginia last week, to which place he returned about two months ago. He was in the 86th year of his age.

Mr. W. W. Leman, of Hawkinsville, and Miss Georgia Coffee, daughter of Capt. John A. Coffee, were married this (Wednesday) morning at the home of the bride's father, ten miles west of Hawkinsville. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. C. Leman, of Marietta, brother of the groom. The happy couple left on the noon train for Macon.

Obituary. Death has again visited the home of W. H. Barrs, near Cochran, Ga., on the 7th day of October, 1886, it took for its victim little Mattie Beele, 1 year, 11 months and seven days old. She was a lovely child and the only daughter. She can say to mother and father and three brothers, "Meet me in Heaven, where there is no congestion of the brain. Weep not for me as you stand around my grave. Think who has died for such ones as I to save." J. S. Evans

Vol. 20, No. 46, Thursday Morning, 28 Oct.1886:

Obituary. Lonnie Newman was born July 20, 1856, and professed faith in Christ and was baptised into the fellowship of Bethany Baptist church by Rev. M. S. McCall in the summer of 1881. He was married to Fannie P. Lee September 19, 1875, and died of consumption at the residence of his father, J. C. Newman, Esq. September 11, 1886. The writer preached his funeral sermon at the church, which was crowded with weeping relatives and friends, who felt that no one could fill his place... He was a kind, loving husband and a tender, devoted father to the wife and four little children who survive to mourn his loss... B. A. Bacon, Cochran, Ga., Oct. 22, 1886.

Mr. Robt. L. Brown, youngest son of Mr. Marshall Brown, of this county, who moved to Texas last January, died in that State on the 18th inst.

Little Dan Joiner died at the Joiner House in Hawkinsville on Wednesday night, October 20, 1886, and was buried at the cemetery here on Thursday afternoon. Dan was the oldest child of Mr. and Mrs. David C. Joiner, and was an exceedingly bright boy. His death was not only a great shock to his parents, but was regretted by all who knew him.

Mr. Hollis B. Kendrick, tax receiver of Pulaski county, died at the home of his uncle, Mr. W. H. Brown, near Snow Spring, Dooly county, on Saturday last. Mr. Kendrick had been afflicted for many years with chronic rheumatism, which disease was probably the cause of his death. He was an affable and courteous gentleman, and his many friends will hear of his death with regret. His burial took place at Henderson, Houston county, last Sunday.

Mr. John B. Taylor, aged about thirty years, died of bronchitis at his home a few miles below Hawkinsville last Tuesday night. The deceased was a brother of Messrs. Madison and Tom Taylor of this place, and leaves a wife and one child. The burial took place at the cemetery here this (Wednesday) evening at half-past three o'clock.

Dougherty county has rarely ever had occasion to regret the loss of anyone more than of Miss Johnnie LaRoque Lamar who was married to Mr. E. R. West, of Hancock county, at the home of Mr. J. G. LaRoque, in East Dougherty, on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. J. L. Underwood officiating... The happy couple left on the 12 o'clock train for their future home, in Hancock county, and the good wishes of the News and Advertiser go with them. - Albany News. Mr. West was formerly a citizen of Hawkinsville and his friends here will rejoice to learn of his good fortune.

Obituary. Norman Vinson, oldest son of Neubel and Henrietta Vinson, was born December 26th 1876, and died October 7th, 1886... One Who Knew and Loved Him.

Vol. 20, No. 47, Thursday Morning, 4 Nov.1886:

Mr. John J. Pickren, a well known citizen of Coffee county, died a few days ago.

The Montezuma Record of last week announced the death of Dr. George Trippe at his home in Drayton, Dooly county, on Thursday.

Mr. William D. King, expostmaster of Hawkinsville, died at the Pulaski House, in this place, on Sunday last, in the fifty-fifth year of his age. Mr. King was postmaster at this place for about fifteen years, under the Republican administration from 1869 - to - 1885. He was removed by President Cleveland in 1885, and Judge H. H. Whitfield appointed. Upon the death of Judge H. H. Whitfield, Mr. Edward P. King, a son of the late postmaster, was highly recommended and endorsed by democratic citizens, and was appointed to fill the vacancy. ...His only son and daughter reside here, and have the esteem of the community. The funeral ceremonies at the grave were performed by Rev. E. J. Burch.

Coffee County. Willacoochee, Ga., Oct 30, 1886: There was a brilliant wedding at Dr. Parker's on the 21 ult. His daughter, Miss Mary Jane, was married to Mr. S. M. Chestnut, Rev. Jno. C. Wilson officiating...; Mr. Elisha Lott, Sr., who has been for some time affected with paralysis, died suddenly last Thursday morning, and was buried at the old Roberts church the day following. Mr. Lott was one of our oldest and respected citizens, and a very large crowd of children, grandchildren, relatives and friends gathered at the grave to get

a glimpse of him for the last time in this world. Many were the tears shed and sobs heard around the grave, and as the clods of the valley began to rumble upon the coffin lid to hide his remains from view forever, many a sad heart turned away feeling that they has sustained a heavy loss, and that a good man had passed away. Mr. Lott served as representative of this county years ago in the legislature, and was one of our most industrious and reliable citizens. He was about three months ago baptised and received into the Methodist church, and we feel that he is one of those blessed who have "ceased from their labors and their works do follow them;" Mr. Fred Purvis and Miss Eliza Daniel were married last Sunday at the residence of the bride's mother, near this place, N. M. Pafford officiating. May their future troubles be little ones. P.

Vol. 20 No. 48, Thursday Morning, 11 Nov 1886:

Mr. James Taylor and Miss Emma Thompson, of this county, were married at the residence of the bride's brother, Mr. R. R. Thompson, on Wednesday evening last, 3rd inst., Rev. W. R. Steeley officiating.

On Wednesday evening last, 3d inst., Mr. Z. W. Lasseter and Miss Nettie A. Turner, of this place, were happily united in the holy bonds of wedlock at the residence of Mr. J. J. Joiner, brother-in-law of the bride. Rev. E. J. Coates performed the ceremony.

Mr. A. R. Fulghum of Hawkinsville, and Miss H. Phillips, daughter of Mrs. Dr. W. H. Phillips, were married at the residence of the bride's mother at Maxey's, Ga., on the evening of the 3d inst., by Rev. R. V. Omer, of Athens, Ga. Mr. Fulgham and his bride arrived in Hawkinsville on Thursday night last and on Friday were give a fine dinner at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Fulghum, seven miles south of town. Gus has many friends who wish him and his bride a serene and happy voyage on the ocean of life. A large number attended the dining at his father's.

Mr. Joe C. McCormick committed suicide at his room in this place about half-past seven o'clock on Tuesday morning last by shooting himself through the heart with a 32 caliber Smith & Wesson revolver... He died instantly, without speaking a word. On a table in his room was found a note, in which he stated that he had been in trouble for ten years, and had no desire to live longer. This is the only reason assigned for taking his life... The remains were interred in Orange Hill cemetery this (Wednesday) morning at half-past ten o'clock.

Vol. 20, No. 49, Thursday Morning, 18 Nov.1886:

Dr. M. B. Johnson, postmaster at Eureka, Dooly County, Ga., died with consumption at his home at that place on Friday evening last.

Mr. E. N. Jelks and Miss Bessie Coats were married at the residence of the bride's father, in Hawkinsville, on Wednesday evening, 10th inst. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. J. Coates. Mr. Jelks is a son of Mr. James

O. Jelks, and was raised in Hawkinsville. His bride is the amiable daughter of Rev. E. J. Coats, the esteemed pastor of the Baptist church. They left Hawkinsville on Thursday morning last for their home at Oviedo, Orange county, Fla., where Mr. Jelks is engaged in the mercantile business.

Vol. 20, No. 50, Thursday Morning, 25 Nov 1886:

The Montezuma Record of last week announced the following deaths: Dr. C. H. Richardson, of Byron, father of Dr. Richardson of this place, died Tuesday morning of pneumonia; Friday night last Mr. George B. Plant died of hemorrhagic fever at his home in Houston county, about five miles from Marshallville. It seems that no section of the malarial belt is exempt from this disease, when the person is in a low state of health. He was a good citizen and we regret to hear of his death; Last Sunday morning at one o'clock Mr. J. M. Hobbs died at his home in Crawford county, of dropsy of the heart. He was quite an old man and highly esteemed by all who knew him. He was the father of Mr. Frank Hobbs who is connected with this paper. His remains were interred at Bethel church about eleven miles below Butler, in Taylor county, the family burial place.

Cadet Neal Cook, of Twiggs county, who was a student of the College, while running up the college steps one day last week sustained some internal injury, from which he died on last Tuesday evening. He was a noble young man, about 18 years of age, and the favorite of the College. His body was carried to his home in Twiggs county to be interred. Milledgeville Chronicle.

Obituary. Duncan Wesley the son of Capt. J. J. & Mrs. Susanah Henderson, was born on the 2nd day of May, 1872, and died on November the 13, 1886... J. D. M.

Vol. 20, No. 51, Thursday Morning, 2 Dec.1886:

Mr. Jesse G. Spurlin and Miss Myrtle Clements were married at Sumner, Worth county, Ga., on Sunday November 21. The Groom was formerly a citizen of this county, and is a son of Mr. W. H. Spurlin, of Pine Level.

Mr. James W. McPhail, aged about forty-six years, died at the residence of his brother-in-law, Mr. J. M. Forehand, about one mile from Cochran, on Tuesday night last.

Mr. Thos. J. Jennings, a well known citizen of this county, died at his home on the east side of the river on Thursday night last. Mr. Jennings had been in feeble health for several month's previous to his death.

Vol. 20, No. 52, Thursday Morning, 9 Dec.1886:

Down the Country, Willacoochee, Ga., Nov. 30, 1886: ... The infant child of Mr. J. R. Hammond died last week and was carried to Waycross for interment; Mr. Mathew Sumerlin has had the misfortune to lose his wife and three children within the last few weeks, of typhoid fever. His entire family have passed away in quick succession, and leaves him heart-broken and desolate. He has

the sympathies of many friends; Miss Lonnie DeLaughter, of Leliaton, and Mr. Herring, of Sumner, were married last Sunday morning. Our best wishes go with them; The funeral of Elisha Lott, Sr. will be preached at the church near his late residence on Saturday, the 11th of December. The masonic fraternity will perform the burial ceremonies on the same day; Mr. W. Roberts and Miss Susie Thiglin were united in Wedlock on Sunday morning last by Rev. D. Thomas Ponsill, at Gray & Gatchell's mill. P.

Mr. Ed. McRae, sheriff of telfair county, and Miss Ida Haynes, of Appling county, were married on the evening of the 26th ult.

Rev. R. M. Lockwood, who was pastor of the Methodist church in Hawkinsville in 1872, died in Thomasville last week.

Rev. Robert M. Owen, Moderator of the Houston Baptist Association died at the home of his son, Mr. Geo. T. Owen, near Byromville, Dooly county, Ga., on Monday afternoon last. Mr. Owen had been quite sick for sometime, and his death was reported last week.

The late Joe McCormick's estate was appraised at ten thousand dollars... Joe's heir-at-law are the children of his brother Tobe, who died last summer...

Mrs. Emma L. Collier, widow of the late Rev. Needham W. Collier, died at the home of her son-in-law, Hon. J. D. Hargrove, in Vienna, Ga., on the morning of December 2, 1886, in the sixty-ninth year of her age. Mrs. Collier was born in Augusta, Ga., in 1818, and was married to N. W. Collier in 1833. They lived in Pulaski for several years, and then moved to southwest Georgia, living in Dougherty and Baker counties. They moved back to Pulaski, and Rev. Mr. Collier died here a few years ago. Mrs. Collier left one sone and four daughters. Her only son, Mr. L. F. ("Boss") Collier, returned a few weeks ago from Mississippi, where he moved last January. At the celebration of the golden wedding of Col Oliver Jelks in Hawkinsville in 1883, Mrs. Collier and Mayor A. C. Bostwick were present, and were the only guests who witnessed the ceremony fifty years before. Mrs. Jelks is the only one of the four now living. The remains were brought from Vienna to Hawkinsville and buried in the cemetery here on Saturday morning last, Rev. E. J. Coates officiating at the grave.

Vol. 20, Not Numbered, Thursday Morning, 16 Dec 1886:

Rev. Zack Gordon, father of Gov. John B. Gordon, died at Goodwater, Alabama, on Friday last, and was buried at Columbus, Ga., on Sunday.

Capt. J. M. Williams and Mrs. Minnie McCormick were married at the Baptist church in this place on Thursday evening last at four o'clock, Rev. E. J. Coates performed the ceremony.

At the residence of the bride's father, Mr. W. H. Wade, in this county, on the 25th ult., Mr. J. S. Lasseter and Miss A. M. Wade, Rev. W. R. Steeley officiating.

At the residence of the bride's brother-in-law, Mr. T. C. Allen, on the 5th inst., Mr. C. M. King and Miss Ida M. Harrell were married, Rev. J. P. Henderson officiating.

At the residence of the bride's brother, Mr. J. J. King, Mr. G. H. Wade and Miss S. G. King were married on the 5th of December, Rev. W. R. Steeley performing the ceremony.

Mr. Ferdinand P. Fleming died at his home two miles east of Hawkinsville, on Tuesday afternoon last. He had been confined to his bed about one week with pneumonia, but his condition was not considered serious until Monday night, when he grew suddenly worse, and his physician, Dr. Peurifoy was sent for. On his arrival the doctor saw that he was in a dying condition. Mr. Fleming was about thirty-two years old, was never married but leaves an invalid mother, two brothers and four sisters, the elder being the wife of J. W. Lancaster, our Clerk Superior court.

Oscar Kirkley, a young man about seventeen years old committed suicide on Tuesday of last week near Byron, Houston county. He was found about sunset in the buggy house not far from the dwelling and his body was still warm. He hung himself to one to the joists in the buggy house by means of a buggy line... He came to Houston from Hall county about two years ago...

Vol. 20, Not Numbered, Thursday Morning, 23 Dec.1886:

Died at the home of his parents in Dooly county, Ga., December 8, 1886, William Jenkins Folds, son of J. B. and Mrs. Henrietta Folds, aged two years, three month and sixteen days.

The Dooly Vindicator of last week contained six marriage announcements, as follows: Mr. Will Ward and Miss Ola Perry, of this county, were recently married; Mr. Bob Lockerman and Miss Wright were married Thursday evening near Snow; Mr. Johnson, of Pulaski, and Miss Martha Sangster, of Dooly, were married Wednesday last; Mr. Holt Buff and Miss Rebecca Borum were married last Wednesday at the residence of the bride's father; Mr. J. B. Conner and Miss Roxie Christmas, were married at the residence of the bride's mother on Dec. 1st...; Mr. B. C. Pitts and Miss Anna Ring, of Arabi, were married at Zion Hope church, Dec. 5th...

On Wednesday, 15th inst., at the residence of the bride's mother, (Mrs. Margia Cook) by J. M. Denton, Esq., Mr. Elijah L. Pickren and Miss Margia E. Cook, all of Coffee county, Ga... A Well Wisher

Vol. 20, Not Numbered, Thursday Morning, 30 Dec.1886:

(Editors Note: No reference was made to existance of newspaper for this date.)

THE HAWKINSVILLE DISPATCH, HAWKINSVILLE, GEORGIA

Vol. 21, No. 1, Thursday Morning, 6 Jan.1887:

This volume missing.

Vol. 21, No. 2, Thursday Morning, 13 Jan, 1887:

Letter from Alabama. An Old Citizen of Pulaski Tells the Dispatch How He Likes the Country. Lafayette, Ala., Dec. 20, 1886. (Compiler Notes: Letter is address to: Mr. Geo. P. Woods and signed by J. S. Sewell. He describes the country and supplies other information. He states, "I have bought land and will move to Randolph county, about ninety miles above here...")

Mrs. Neilly Smith, wife of Capt. Thomas J. Smith, of Telfair county, died at her home in that county on Christmas Eve Day.

Mr. William Roberts, an old and highly esteemed citizen of Dooly county, died at his home in that county on Saturday last, January 8, 1887, aged seventy-four years.

Died, December 17, 1886, at his home at Oviedo, Fla., Bro. James E. Mitchell, in the thirty-eight year of his age. Brother Mitchell moved to Florida sixteen years ago from Hawkinsville, Ga., where he was born and reared. He was baptized into the fellowship of the Baptist church at the age of seventeen at his former home. He was a member of the Oviedo Baptist church at the time of his death, ... Brother Mitchell leaves a sorrowing wife and two little girls and two sisters... Pastor.

Our friend of boyhood's days, Jimmie Mitchell, died at his home at Oviedo, Orange county, Fla., on the 17th day of last month. Jimmie was the last of the sons of Dr. Batts W. Mitchell, who moved from Hawkinsville to Florida about seventeen years ago. We published in this issue a brief obituary of Jimmie. It was written by Rev. R. W. Lawton, pastor of the Baptist church at Oviedo. Mr. J. M. Jones in a short letter to the editor of this paper announcing the death says: "It was Jimmie's request that the notice of his death should be published in your paper."

Vol. 21, No. 3, Thursday Morning, 20 Jan.1887:

Albany Loss. This community has rarely been shocked more than on Thursday afternoon, when the greatly lamented death of Mrs. S. F. Price was announced... She was stricken with measles while watching at the bedside of her three-year old child, and her motherly anxiety and the tender care for her suffering boy caused her to neglect herself, and at 4:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon, death robbed her family... She was a consistent member of the Baptist church of this city devoted to its interest... She leaves a sorrow-stricken husband and one child a boy of three years, ... Mrs. Price's father and mother, Rev. Thomas J. and Mrs. Adams, of Pulaski county... The funeral will take place from the Baptist church this morning at 10 o'clock; the public is requested to attend. Albany News and Advertiser, Jan. 15th.

A letter from Goldsboro, Ga., informs us of the death of Uncle Jesse Bryant, at the home of his son (Joel B. Bryant) in the upper part of Pulaski county, on the 7th day of this month. Uncle Jesse was no doubt the oldest man in this county. He was born in North Carolina December 16, 1793, and his death on the 7th January , 1887, shows that he was in the 94th year of his age. Mr. Bryant moved from North Carolina to Georgia in 1832. He was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church for sixty years, and was regarded by all who knew him as a Christian... Mr. Bryant raised a family of twelve children, and never called a doctor until his children were all grown. Of six sons only one is living, and four daughters.

Obituary. Died at his home near Byromville, Dooly county, Ga., January 8, 1887. William Roberts, aged seventy-four years. William Roberts was born in Laurens county, Ga., near the town of Dublin, on the 4th of April, 1813. At the age of eight years his father, Jacob Roberts, moved to Dooly county, where the subject of this sketch lived until his death. He was married November 3, 1835, and settled on Turkey Creek, where he passed his life. He was a consistent member of the Baptist church for fifty-two years, which faith he kept to the hour of his death... He leaves an aged companion, three daughters and six sons to mourn his death.

Mrs. Jones, wife of Mr. A. C. Jones, died at her home a few miles east of Cochran, in this county on Thursday, January 13, 1887, leaving a sorrowing husband and four little children.

Vol. 21, No. 4, Thursday Morning, 27 Jan.1887:

Notes from Irwin: Minnie, Ga., Jan. 19, 1887. Mr. Thomas Grimes, of Telfair, died last Saturday evening after a long and painful illness... Fred.

Vol. 21, No. 5, Thursday Morning, 3 Feb.1887:

Prof. Frank N. Means died at the home of his father, Mr. Wm. Means, at Spoonville, Houston county, Ga., last week. Prof. Means was thirty-three years of age, and had been engaged in teaching in the Colleges of Eatonton, Fort Valley and Butler.

Dublin and Laurens County - From the Dublin Post. ... Three weeks ago we made mention of the fact that Elias Wilkes was drowned by falling from a raft of timber that he was carrying to Darien just before Christmas...

Vol. 21, No. 6, Thursday Morning, 19 Feb.1887:

Mrs. Carrie Tool, widow of the late Hon. Isaac L. Toole, of Dooly was married a few days ago in Macon, Ga., to Mr. John Shearouse, of Guyton, Ga.

Mrs. Martha Stephens died at her home on Cedar Creek on Monday afternoon last. She was the wife of Mr. I. T. Stephens and sister of the Messrs Joiner of Hawkinsville.

Mr. J. L. Lowery, of Pulaski, and Miss Annie Marshall, of Houston county, were married on the 2d inst., at the home of Mr. Jeff Marshall, Rev. C. W. Snow performing the ceremony.

Mr. W. E. Wilder ends his financial troubles with a bottle of Morphine. The Dooly Vindicator last week contained an account of the suicide of Mr. William E. Wilder, at his home near Turkey Creek, Dooly county... He leaves a wife and children, relatives and friend to mourn his loss.

Mrs. Melissa Miller, wife of Mr. Mark Miller, died at her home in Wilcox County, Ga., on the night of February 2, 1887. She was the daughter of Mr. Jackson Mixon, of Dooly county. The remains were buried at Friendship Church.

Vol. 21, No. 7, Thursday Morning, 17 Feb.1887:

Mr. Ed. Burch, Jr. and Miss Lucy Cofield, daughter of Prof. J. B. Cofield, were married at the residence of the bride's parents, in Hawkinsville, on Monday evening, 14th inst. The Ceremony was performed by Rev. E. A. Burch, father of the groom.

Handsome invitations were issued last week to the marriage of Mr. Lewis M. Curry and Miss May Colville at the Methodist Church in Chauncey, Ga., on Tuesday evening, 15th inst. The Dispatch, acknowledges the receipt of an invitation, and tenders its best wishes.

Notes from Irwin. Minnie, Ga., Feb. 9, 1887. ... The infant child of Mr. John Young died last Sunday evening...

From the Dooly Vindicator: The sad news of the death of Mrs. John A. Jenkins has just been received...; Mrs. Dooling, mother of Messrs. John and E. J. Dooling, of this county, died last Sunday aged 84 years...; Mr. Billie Mayo and Mrs. Bertie Powell were married Sunday, Mr. R. Hamilton officiating...; Two brothers by the name of McConner were buried at the same...; Judge Jerry Slade died at his home last Friday after many months of painful illness from rheumatism. A good man and kind neighbor has gone to rest...

From the Dublin Gazette: Mrs. Nancy Swinson, an aged lady of this county, died at the residence of Mr. R. T. Dominy, four miles north of Dublin on Sunday morning last...; It has never been our duty to chronicle a sadder occurrence than the deaths of Miss Emma Donaldson and Master Jimmie Donaldson, daughter and son of Mr. H. B. Donaldson, which occurred on Tuesday, and Wednesday last, from pneumonia brought on by an attack of measles. Jimmie was a bright little boy of about twelve summers and Miss Emma was a young lady, just budding into womanhood, admired for her many personal attractions and loved by her friends and associates for her beautiful characters. She was to have been married to a gentleman from Washington County on the Thursday evening previous to her death. Both bodies were interred in the cemetery at this place on yesterday afternoon. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. S. Ramsay and were largely attended...

Vol. 21, No. 8, Thursday Morning, 24 Feb.1887:

Mr. Edward J. Barclay, formerly of Twiggs county, died at his home in Wilcox county on the 18th inst., from an attack of pneumonia. He was buried by the Masonic fraternity at Abbeville on Saturday last.

While running the shingle machine at Paxon's saw mill near McRae, last week, we learn that Mr. Joe W. Graham was caught in the cog wheels and killed. His leg was crushed up to the knee, and the shock was so great that he died the night after it was amputated. Mr. Graham was formerly of Conyers, Ga., had been a faithful employee of Mr. Paxon for nearly five years, and leaves a wife and five children.

Married. At the residence of Mrs. Mich. Wilcox, (mother of the bride) at Temperance, Telfair county, Ga., on Sunday, February 13th, by Rev. W. M. C. Connally, Mr. Wootie W. Clements and Miss Melcena Wilcox...

Mr. James A. J. Phillips died at his home near Hartford, in this county, on Thursday night last, February 17th. The deceased was severly afflicted, having had his leg broken several years ago by the running away of his horse, and afterward he lost his eyesight completely. He was not only crippled and blind, but had partly lost the sense of hearing. The remains was buried in the cemetery in Hawkinsville.

Vol. 21, No. 9, Thursday Morning, 3 Mar.1887:

A happy marriage, that of Miss Josephine Raiford to Mr. Thos. J. Taylor, occurred at the residence of Mr. M. Raiford, the bride's father, in Cochran on Thursday evening last, Rev. E. J. Coates, of Hawkinsville, performing the ceremony...

Vol. 21, No. 10, Thursday Morning, 10 Mar 1887:

Hon. Edward Brietung, a Michigan Congressman died in Eastman last Thursday night. He had pneumonia, and came South hoping to find relief.

The quiet marriage of Mr. W. B. Galloway and Mrs. Mary Haggart occurred at the Pulaski House last Sunday afternoon, Rev. E. M. Whiting performing the ceremony.

As we go to press Hawkinsville is shocked by the sad news of the death of Mrs. Judge Pate, which occurred just after 12 o'clock to-day (Wednesday). She had been sick only a day or two, and her death was very unexpected. The Dispatch will give a more extended notice next week. Our people deeply sympathize with the bereaved family in their great sorrow.

Mr. Wm. Phillips died on Tuesday, the 8th inst., at his home on the plantation of Mr. Stephen Woodward. Deceased was about 38 years of age, and leaves a wife, three small children, a widowed mother and two sisters, besides many friends, to mourn his loss... A Friend.

Letter from Texas. Mr. Passmore tells his Coffee county friends of his trip - How He Likes, etc. Red River Station, Montague Co., Texas, March 1, 1887... L. M. Passmore.

Vol.21, No. 11, Thursday Morning, 17 Mar.1887:

The marriage of Mr. Walker Jordan, of this county, and Miss Nellie Tarver, of Twiggs county, occurred today in the quiet and beautiful old-time village of Longstreet where they will make their future home...

Mrs. Jerry Slade, whose severe illness from measles was mentioned in the Dispatch last week, has since died from the effects of the same. The disease developed into pneumonia, which was the immediate cause of death.

It is with sincere regret that we chronicle the death of Mr. James L. Lampkin, which occurred at his home over the river on Thursday night of last week. Mr. Lampkin was one of Pulaski's oldest and most subtantial citizens, and perhaps one of the most successful farmers in the state. He was a true man, and those who knew him can testify to his worth. For some time past he had been in feeble health. His remains were laid to rest in the family burial ground. Peace to his ashes.

At half-past 9 o'clock on last Tuesday morning, at the residence of the bride's brother, Mr. W. L. Joiner, Rev. P. A. Jessup officiating, Mr. W. F. Harrell, of Eastman and Miss Missie DeLamar, of Hawkinsville, were happily united in marriage...

Another happy marriage also occurred in Hawkinsville Tuesday at 12 m. - that of Mr. M. M. Johnson and Mrs. H. G. Wood, at the residence of the latter, Rev. E. M. Whiting officiating...

Sycamore, Irwin Co., Ga., March 8, 1887. ...Married at the residence of the bride's father in this county, last week, Mr. A. J. Story and Miss Nancy Paulk, Mr. Z. Harden officiating. J. Z. P.

Vol. 21, No. 12, Thursday Morning, 24 Mar.1887:

Miss Sallie Slade, daughter of Mr. Jerry Slade, of this county, died last week, and the remains were buried by the side of her mother, who died the week before. The family had all been sick with measles.

At the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Joseph Parks, in Dodge county, at four o'clock last Sunday afternoon, Mr. W. F. Luckie, of Godwinsville, and Miss Nida Parks were joined in the holy bonds of matrimony, Rev. Daniel Fann officiating.

Dr. Augustus R. Taylor died at his home on Jackson street, in Hawkinsville, on Tuesday, March 22, 1887, about twelve o'clock. His friends had for several days expected his death to occur at any time, as he had been in a low state of health. Dr. Taylor was a splendid physician, with a fine education, and was

so regarded, not only by the people, but by the medical profession. The burial took place this (Wednesday) afternoon at three o'clock at Orange Hill Cemetery, and the services were conducted by Mount Hope Lodge, F. & A. M.

Mrs. Catherine Williamson died at the home of her son-in-law, Judge A. C. Pate, on Pine Level, about three o'clock on Monday morning last. She was about sixty-five years of age and had been confined to her bed for several days. She was the mother of Mrs. A. C. Pate, who died two weeks ago. Mrs. Williamson passed away gently and peacefully. A little while before midnight those around her bedside were much affected to hear her calling the names of her dead sons - "Tully", "Jimmie", "George" and then the names of her daughters, but all except one of her children had passed over and were waiting on the other shore. The funeral occurred at ten o'clock on Tuesday morning and the remains were buried in Orange Hill Cemetery.

A Week In Dooly - The news was received in Vienna of the death of Mr. Mathew Parker, an old citizen near Drayton. He died very suddenly on Tuesday night...

Vol 21, No. 13, Thursday Morning, 31 Mar.1887:

Judge J. G. Bower, one of the most prominent citizens of Irwinton, Ga., died at his home in that place on Monday morning last.

"God Bless Old Georgia" - Letter from Texas - Prospects for a Good Crop - Oden, Texas, March 16, 1887. (From Ga.) D. J. Haskins

Tribute of Respect - To Dr. Augustus R. Taylor - Mt. Hope Lodge, No. 9, F. & A. M., Hawkinsville, Ga. Mar. 25, 1887... Dr. Augustus R. Taylor was born on the 1st day of October 1836, and died March 22nd, 1887, in Hawkinsville, Pulaski county, Georgia, his birth place. In the year 1859 he married Miss Laura Brinson, of Lowndes county, who died but a short time after their intermarriage. In 1856 he married Miss Elmira Lamkin, of Pulaski County who survives him. His father, the lamented and distinguished Dr. Robert N. Taylor, gave him the benefit of the best educational advantages, and he concluded his literary career in Oglethrope University... Fraternally submitted, W. N. Fleetwood, J. Z. T. Fann, Jno. H. Martin, Committee

Irwin County Items - Sycamore, Ga., March 20, 1887... Mr. John A. Smith lost his infant child with measles last week. His wife and others of the family are also very ill with the same disease.

Vol. 21, No. 14, Thursday Morning, 7 Apr.1887:

We regret to chronicle the death of Mr. T. F. Marr this week, which occurred at the residence of his son, Mr. Henry B. Marr, in this place, on Monday morning last at 1 o'clock. He was attacked last week with paralysis, and gradually sank until death ended his sufferings. Mr. Marr was formerly a citizen of Carlisle, Kentucky, moving to Pulaski county something over a year ago... He was 77 years old, and had long been a consistent member of the Methodist church. His remains were interred in Orange Hill Cemetery Monday

afternoon at 4 o'clock, Rev. C. M. Whiting delivering a beautiful and touching funeral address at the grave. The bereaved ones have the sympathies of the community in their sad loss.

Vol. 21, No. 15, Thursday Morning, 14 Apr.1887:

In Memorian - Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Rushin died of low fever resulting from measles, on the 21st day of March, in the thirty-second year of her age. Born in Macon county, she had however, passed the most of her life from early chilhood on the farm near Eureka, Dooly County, where she lived with her husband, Mr. Mathew E. Rushin, and where she at last closed her eyes and fell asleep in Jesus... She had been for fifteen years an earnest active and consistent member of Harmony Baptist church... A. Friend

Notes from Irwin - Minnie, Ga., April 6... The ten months old child of Mr. Dickson, died last Sunday at 11 o'clock. We tender the sorrowing parents our heart-felt condolence... Fred.

Mrs. Roberts, widow of the late Wm. Roberts, died at her home in the second district of Dooly county on Sunday evening last, and was buried the following day. She had lived a long and useful life, and was summoned by death to closely follow her aged husband, who preceded her only about two months.

About 3 o'clock on last Thursday evening while attending to some business in this place, Capt. Robert S. Anderson was suddenly stricken with apoplexy and paralysis, from which he soon died. He was in the store of Mr. A. C. Pipkin at the time, and never spoke after he was attacked... The remains were carried to his home about 6 o'clock, and next day interred in Orange Hill Cemetery. Capt. Anderson was one of Pulaski county's most substantial and valuable citizens, and had hosts of sincere friends who will long mourn his death. He was for several years Sheriff of this county, performing its duties always with singular fidelity and success. He also served through the Confederate war, in the 49th Georgia Regiment, as a member of Company "K", of which, through gallantry and by popularity with his comrades, he was finally made captain...

Vol. 21, No. 16, Thursay Morning, 21 Apr.1887:

Mrs. Wilbur Kelsey died at the home of her husband in Cochran on Thursday night last, from an attack of nervous fever. She had been married but about three years and leaves a husband and two small children to mourn her sad death. Her remains were interred in the Cochran cemetry Friday afternoon.

We also learn of the death of Mrs. Daniel L. Roland, which occurred near Cochran on Friday last, leaving a husband and four children.

Mr. M. W. Raiford's Hawkinsville friends will regret to hear of the sad death of his wife, which occurred in Anthony, Fla. on the 18th of last month. Mrs. Raiford was aged 19 years and 3 months and leaves a tender babe only 6 months old. Mr. Raiford is well remembered as a former telegraph operator here, and

was happily married soon after he left, about a year and a half ago.

Another trip to Coffee... A very sad accident was reported in the death of Mr. Mitchell Kirkland, a young man of twenty-four years of age. The particulars of his death were furnished us by Mr. J. W. Jarvis. Mr. Kirkland was killed by a stroke of lightning on the afternoon of April 8th... The body was removed to the home of Mr. Jesse Lott and was buried the next day...

Vol. 21, No. 17, Thursday Morning, 28 Apr.1887:

A Week at McRae - A few of the Aged Citizens of Telfair County ... (Compiler Note: Quoted only in part.) ...One of the old men in the county is "Uncle Jimmie" Williamson, the beloved Baptist preacher, who moved from Hawkinsville over twenty years ago, after having served the Baptist church here for a quarter of a century. He is about eighty-three years of age, and has been a minister for more than fifty years. But "Uncle Jimmy" is not considered the oldest man in his county. Mr. John McEachin is eight-one years of age, and may be mentioned as a remarkable fact in his career that he has been a farmer all his life and that he has made sixty-five crops on one lot of land. He was born in North Carolina, but came to Georgia when quite young. His brother Alexander, or "Sanders", as the Scotch people are wont to call the name, is about seventy years of age, and we had the pleasure of meeting the clever old gentleman upon the ground during the week. Judge John McDearmid, Henry Minix, Allen Powell and Jacob Marchant are four of the remaining old men. Mr. Marchant lives near Temperance, where he has resided for sixty years. He is seventy-nine year, and is very active. Uncle Wiley Fletcher also lives near Temperance, but we cannot afford to enter him upon the list of old men, for the reason that about fourteen years he was mentioned by his kinsman, Rev. Geo. R. McCall, in the Christian Index, who stated that his father attained the age of one hundred and twenty-seven, and cut his third set of teeth... We met Judge John McRae, of Montgomery county, who is one of the best known and most highly esteemed citizens of that section. It was Gen. Eli Warren, the old lawyer, who, several years ago, said to us that Judge McRae very much reminded him of Henry Clay in stature and physiognomy. While making our memoranda last week, we spoke to Judge McRae about the reported death of Stafford Davis, of Coffee county, at the age of one hundred and fifteen years. His death was reported by the Savannah News about three weeks ago. The announcement was premature, as we have since received a letter from his grandson, Mr. John Hall, the sheriff of Coffee county, informing us that his grandfather, Stafford Davis, died at eleven o'clock on the 19th day of this month - that he was one hundred and fifteen years of age, or thereabouts. Judge McRae says that Daniel Davis, is now living in Montgomerty county, and is eighty years of age. He is one of the oldest citizens of that county. Uncle Nat Statham, of Wilcox county, was at McRae last week, and he is no spring chicken when you begin to look round for young roosters for a Methodist pie. Uncle Nat was born in 1795, and was engaged in the battle with the Indians on the Ocmulgee. Col. Paine, in his sketches for the Georgia Historical Society several years ago, mentioned Uncle Nat and spoke of his bravery during the Indian war. It would not, perhaps, be out of place to mention the names of some of the men down in that country who appear to grow no older as time passes. Leonard Peak Jones,

ex-sheriff of Telfair, is a younger-looking and a better-looking man than he was twelve years ago. He will be remembered by his comrades of the Eight Georgia Regiment as one of the Pulaski Volunteers who lost his arm at the battle of Gettisburg in July, 1863. We couldn't close these notes without attending to the affectionate meeting between Capt. Luce Williams, of Company B, 49th Ga. Regiment, and Judge W. L. Grice, former Colonel of the 45th Georgia. These two old soldiers were in the same brigade, and passed through many a hard fought battle. They passed each other several times during the day without recognition, neither thinking of or expecting to meet the other at McRae. It had been twenty-two years since they had parted at Appomattox, and both have become gray. But when they came together and each learned who the other was, Capt. Williams clasped Col. Grice around the body and broke loose in the most endearing words and expressions. Col Grice was quite overcome with the tenderness of the greeting, but he controlled his emotions while he wound his arms lovingly around the neck of the Captain. "The muffled drum's sad roll has beat, The soldier's last tattoo."

Notes from Irwin. Minnie, Ga., Aril 20... Miss Alice, daughter of Mr. J. W. Gaskins, died at her home in Berrien county last Friday of pneumnia. Miss Gaskins was a granddaughter of old Uncle Jake Paulk, deceased, of this county and daughter of his youngest child. ... A letter was received several days ago from Mrs. Dr. Kendrick, of Alapaha, requesting us to write an obituary on the death of her little daughter, Onie, but at this late date, and feeling wholly incompetent for the solemn task, we must decline...

A special from McRae to the Atlanta Constitution last Monday, gives the following particulars of the killing of Mr. Andrew Campbell by Tom Busby. On Monday, the 18th instant a difficulty arose between Andrew Campbell and Thomas Busby, two white men working at J. R. Chapmans & Sons saw mill two miles above here. Busby struck Campbell on the head with a large hand stick, prostrating him and resulting in his death yesterday... The blow completely prostrated Campbell and he remaining in an unconsious condition until Sunday, when death occurred at 11 o'clock... Campbell was a young man, unmarried, about 22 years of age; was born and raised about four miles from this place, and had a good record and many relatives and friends around McRae. Busby is a married man, and is from Greene county, near Greensboro, Ga. From all accounts he has the name of a very desperate man. He has only been in this county about three months...

Mr. William Henry Tarver, formerly of Hawkinsville, and Miss Eula Brannan, of Savannah, were married in the latter city today. We send our best wishes, - Henry.

Mrs. Susan Fenn, widow of the late John H. Fenn, died at her home in Dooly county on the 21st of April, 1887, from an attack of pneumonia. She was the mother of Mrs. Willie E. Powell, of Hawkinsville.

A letter to the Dispatch from sheriff, John Hall, of Coffee county informs us that his grandfather, Stafford Davis, died at eleven o'clock on the 19th day of this month. He was in the one hundred and fifteenthe year of his age, and

has one son living who is eighty-two years old. He leaves hundreds of relatives in the counties of Montgomery, Coffee, Berrien, Worth and Laurens. Mr. Hall tells us that, so far as is known, his grandfather never had a fight or held an office. He was a Hardshell Baptist, and enjoyed good health until a few days before his death.

On Tuesday morning last, at half-past 11 o'clock, at the residence of the bride's brother-in-law, Mr. Sam Fitzgerald, Miss Jemmie T. Brown and Mr. W. W. Reynolds were happily united in the holy bonds of matrimony, Rev. E. M. Whiting performing the ceremony... They left on the 1:35 train for Atlanta, the present home of the groom, where they will reside in the future.

Mr. Julius Bagby died on Monday morning last at the home of his brother Charlie, on Pine Level, one mile west of Hawkinsville. Julius Bagby was raised in Hawkinsville, and was the oldest son of Mr. A. G. Bagby. In 1875 Julius was elected tax collector of this county. During the late war he was a member of Co. K, 49th Georgia Regiment, and was severely wounded at the battle of Seven Pines.

John B. Bowen was born in Tattnall county, Ga., in Aprl, 1810, and died in Montgomery county on the 17th day of March, 1887, in the 77th year of his age... Mr. Bowen raised a family of nine children - five sons and four daughters. He lost two sons in the Confederate army, Hiram was a member of Company B, 49th Georgia regiment, and was killed on the 28th day of August, 1862, at the Second Battle of Manassas. The company was commanded at that time by Capt. Wiley J. Williams, who afterward became Lieutenant Colonel of the regiment. The other son, Benjamin, died of exhaustion during the Seven Days Battle around Richmond. One son, Mr. Andrew M. Bowen, lives in Telfair county, and informed us last week that his mother is yet living, and will be seventy-five years of age in June.

Vol. 21, No. 18, Thursday Morning, 5 May 1887:

Obituary. Mr. W. T. Jones, who departed this life the 22d day of March, 1887, at the early age of twenty-one years and twenty-two days. He lived a pious member of the First Baptist church in Cochran nearly six years... His friend, Rev. W. R. Steeley

Miss Maude Nobles was married to Mr. J. A. Rickenbaker, at the residence of her mother in this place, on Wednesday of last week, Rev. E. J. Coates performing the ceremony...

Three deaths occurred in Cochran during last week: Col. Kelsey lost his little babe, recently preceded by its mother; The infant of Mr. N. A. Sherill, left about one year ago by its mother soon after giving it birth, also died on Thursday; The death of Mrs. LaFayette Baskins occurred on Thursday, caused by relapse from measles... She leaves a husband and several small children.

Mr. Jas. R. Felts, at his home near Minden, La. on Tuesday 19th of April at half-past nine o'clock P. M. of dyspepsia. He leaves a wife and seven children... He was about forty years old.

Mr. Morris Ward, who has a son and daughter-in-law living here, the two families having seven grandchildren of the good old man, died in Twiggs county at his home on last Monday. Mr. Ward was very old, nearly approximating 80 years. In the vigor of health he was attacked with pneumonia which he was not able to recover from. His good "old woman" as he called her, saw two days before his death, that his end was near and, not sick at all, became perfectly prostrated from sheer grief and nothing to live for, died twenty four hours after the death of her "good old man". They were buried in one grave together, near their home. They had been married more than fifty years. They leave two sons Messrs James Ward, of Mt. Calvary, and Thomas A. Ward of this place. - Cor. Macon Telegraph, April 29.

McRae, May 5. - One of the saddest deaths ever known in this place occurred here last night. Mrs. Jas. H. Gilmore, a highly esteemed lady, died of the effects of a severe case of measles at 2 o'clock this morning. She leaves a bereaved husband and seven children, five of who are now prostrated with measles.

Vol. 21, No. 19, Thursday Morning, 12 May 1887:

We learn that Mr. Mitchell Altman, an aged and respected citizen of Dooly, died at his home in that county on Sunday morning, May 1st.

Vol. 2, No. 20, Thursday Morning, 19 May 1887:

Mrs. G. I. Lasseter, of Dooly, died at her home in that county on the 6th inst.

Mr. W. P. Burt, a prominent citizen of Chauncey, died at his home in that place on Wednesday night of last week.

Mr. S. J. Smith, a farmer living near Eastman, was fatally injured by the engine of the Amoskeag Lumber Company last Friday evening. On his return home from Eastman, while the train was running down grade, he jumped off and got under the wheels and had both arms broken, besides being badly injured otherwise. He was an industrious farmer, and had a family.

Died at her home on the 30th ult., Mrs. Fullington, mother of J. C. and Dock Fullington. Mrs. Fullington was one of the oldest settlers of the 3d district of Dooly. Her husband preceded her several years ago, and she followed him to the abode rest. She lived a consistent member of the Baptist church, died in the fruit of the faith she had lived of the atonement for sin Christ - Dooly Vindicator.

Vol. 21, No. 21, Thursday Morning, 26 May 1887:

Notes from Irwin - Minnie, GA., May 18... Mr. Gip Wilcox's child died last

Saturday evening of cholera infantum, after a painful illness of several days. The sorrowing parents have the sympathy of their many friends.

Miss Emma Clark, daughter of Rev. Geo. C. Clark, a former well known paster of the Methodist church here, was married in Vadosta on Wednesday evening last. The groom being one of that city's foremost young men, the wedding was made a very brillian affair and attracted much attention. Miss Emma's many Hawkinsville friends wish her all the happiness life affords.

Last Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. A. R. Taylor, Miss Maude Taylor was united in marriage to Mr. Charlie McPhail, Rev. E. J. Coates performing the ceremony...

Vol. 21, No. 22, Thursday Morning, 2 Jun.1887:

Mr. J. L. Warren, a well known and highly respected citizen of Laurens county, died near nameless post office on Saturday of last week.

The Dooly Vindicator reports the death of Mr. John C. Thompson, a worthy young man of Snow.

Mr. Thomas Roberts, an old and highly respected citizen, died at his home in Irwin county on the 21st inst.

Mrs. Fannie Bateman, wife of Mr. Green G. Bateman, of this county, was stricken down very suddenly on Saturday night last with what was supposed to be rheumatism of the chest, and died in a few hours after the attack.

Mr. Thomas Whitley and Miss Matilda Fletcher were married on the 22d ult. at the residence of the bride's father Mr. James Fletcher, in Irwin county.

Mr. Elbert Fletcher, of Irwin, and Miss Lula Mimms, of Berrien, were also married on the same day (22d ult.).

Vol. 21, No. 23, Thursday Morning, 9 Jun.1887:

Mr. Jas. A. Fouche, lately connected with the Dispatch, was married on Wednesday last, June 1, to Miss Carrie Brown, at the residence of the bride's parents, in Dawson, Ga. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Branch. Mr. Fouche left with his bride for a short tour through Alabama. He will return to Georgia and locate in Barnesville, where he will continue in the newspaper business.

Wilcox County. From the Abbeville Times. To show the healthiness of Wilcox county - that its climate is soft and mild, its air pure and bracing, a friend of ours, who has traveled quite extensively in the county furnished us with the names and ages of some of our old land marks: Major A. A. F. Reid has resided in the county for thirty years, he is 75 years old and is yet able to perform an average days work; One of the first settlers in the country was Mr. Redding Hunter, who is 77 years old and is hale and hearty; John Dennard,

76 years old, removed to Wilcox thirty-five years ago, and now works on his farm every day; Philetus Doster, 77 years old, moved to the county thirty years ago, and is an sprightly as the average man; Allen Gibbs, 80 years old, has lived in the county from its first settlement, and is able to do work on his farm; Jonathan Barrett, 81 years old, has been living in the county thirty-two years; Miles Fitzgerald, who has lived on the banks of the Ocmulgee all his life is 80 years old; Troy Johnson, 80 years old has resided in this county about thirty years; One of the first settlers is Samuel Young, 82 years old; E. B. Mixon, 85 years old, has acted as bailiff for the grand jury at every term of court since the county was organized. A doctor never visited his family until last year, and only once then; Thomas Watson who is 85 years old, has lived in the county forty years. One of his boys was wrecked off the coast of Greenland and got home last year. He dips turpentine every day; George W. Graham, 82 years came to this county when a mere boy. Has five children and thirty-five grandchildren. He carries the mail; W. B. Mann, 85, is able to look after his farm, came to the county when a boy; Junius Harvey, 90 years, is one of the most energetic men in the county; T. N. Statham, 92 years, came to this county in 1820. Has not been sick in sixty years; Micajah Owens, 97 years, came to this county when a boy and has between forty and fifty descendants.

Vol. 21, No. 24, Thursday Morning, 16 Jun.1887:

Mr. John E. McCall, aged twenty-two years, died at his home in Wilcox county on the 5th inst.

Mrs. Jane Warren, consort of the late General Eli Warren, of Houston county, died at the home of her son-in-law, Judge W. L. Grice, in Hawkinsville, at six o'clock last Monday evening. Mrs. Warren was about eighty years old, and had been in a declining state of health for some time... Her remains were carried to Perry early this (Wednesday) morning where they will be interred in the family cemetery beside those of her husband.

Vol. 21, No. 25, Thursday Morning, 23 Jun.1887:

Mr. James Clark and Mrs. Fannie Dykes, residing near Cochran, were married in that place last Sunday by Rev. W. L. Ramsay.

Mr. S. D. Parsons and Miss Sallie Ashley, of Wilcox county, were married on Thursday evening last by Rev. T. B. Fuller.

We learn with much regret of the death, on Monday night last, of the infant and only son, one of the twins, of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Leonard, of Vienna. It was about two months old. We deeply sympathize with the bereaved parents and other relatives.

Mrs. C. A. Rogers, wife of Mr. John Rogers, of Cochran, died at her home in that place on Monday evening last. The deceased was the widow of the late Major Joseph M. White, one of the most prominent and wealthy citizens of Laurens county. She was married to Mr. Rogers about three years ago. She was about

fifty years old, and was a most excellent Christian lady. She leaves a husband and four grown sons, and many friends to mourn her death. Her remains were interred at the old homestead on the line of Laurens and Pulaski county.

Vol. 21, No. 26, Thursday Morning, 30 Jun.1887:

The Dooly Vindicator of last week announced the death of Mrs. D. L. Ivey at Snow Spring on the 18th of this month.

Mr. J. D. Bridges and Miss Lula Fields, daughter of Rev. J. R. Fields, were married at the home of the bride's father, in Dooly county, on the 14th inst., the ceremony being performed by Rev. M. F. Morgan, editor of the Dooly Vindicator.

Mrs. Martha Wall, wife of Judge J. M. Wall, died at her home at Spring Hill, Montgomery county, in her 70th year, on Friday last. She was the aunt of Mrs. Mell wife of Chancellor P. H. Mell, of Athens, Ga., and was a daughter of Rev. Wilson Conner, a noted Baptist preacher of fifty years ago.

Last Wednesday evening, 22d inst., there assembled at the elegant home of the bride in this place, quite a number of friends and relatives to witness the marriage of Mr. G. R. Dykes and Mrs. Sarah Partin. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Barnwell, according to the beautiful and impressive rites of the Episcopal church...

The Vindicator of last week announces the following marriages: Married, at the residence of Mr. Jerry Cribb on the 5th Sunday in May by Rev. J. R. Fields, Mr. James Thompson and Miss Tempie Cribb; At the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Lizzie Coppage, Rev. Mr. Bolland performing the ceremony, Mr. Bartow Connor and Miss Lee Coppage were married.

Vol. 21, No. 27, Thursday Morning, 7 Jul.1887:

Missing!

Vol. 21, No. 28, Thursday Morning, 14 Jul.1887:

Mr. J. O. Smith and Miss Lucy H. Brown were married at the residence of Judge Ira Brown, father of the bride, in Wilcox county, on the 26th ult., by Rev. T. J. Adams.

The Dodge County Journal announces the death of Mr. James Grimsley, which occurred at his home near Eastman on Saturday night of last week, after a brief illness of typhoid fever. He was about 28 years of age, an honest, industrious citizen, and his early demise is regretted by a host of friends. He leaves a sorely bereaved mother, a devoted wife, and many near relatives to mourn his loss.

Mr. James G. Brown, formerly a citizen of Hawkinsville, died at the home of his son-in-law, Mr. W. W. Reynolds, in Atlanta, on Sunday morning, July 3rd, aged seventy-five. Mr. Brown was exemplary and esteemed citizen. He came to Hawkinsville in 1884, and had resided here since until two months ago, when he removed to Atlanta. The deceased leaves two children. Mrs. S. H. Fitzgerald, of Hawkinsville, and Mrs. W. W. Reynolds, of Atlanta, who have the sympathy of a host of friends in their sorrow.

Mr. L. T. Henderson and Miss Ida Johnson were married at the residence of the bride's uncle, Mr. M. M. Johnson, in Hawkinsville, last Sunday evening, 10th inst., Rev. Mr. Barnwell of the Episcopal church performing the ceremony... His charming bride is a daughter of Dr. L. L. Johnson, of Macon...

On Wednesday, 6th inst., Mr. Robert E. Nicholls, ex-Mayor of Cochran, and Mr. I. H. Marchman, a bailiff of that district, got into a difficulty over a business transaction when the former struck the latter on the head with a table leg, which resulted in his death four or five hours afterward. Both gentlemen stood well in the community, and the unfortunate affair is deeply regretted. Mr. Marchman leaves a large family and Mr. Nicholls has only a wife. The jury renender a verdict of voluntary manslaughter. Mr. Nicholls waived examination and was bound over in the sum of $2,500.

Mr. Jas. M. Ragan, a prominent young citizen of Hawkinsville, died at 11 o'clock on Monday last, 10th inst., in Atlanta, where he had gone a few days ago to secure medical treatment for a cancerous affection in the head. Although he had been afflicted for three or four years, he was apparently in good health, and many of his friends were not aware that he was sick. The news of his death was therefore rendered doubly sad. The deceased was a son of Mr. Alexander Ragan, and was a brother of Messrs. R. T, and T. B. Ragan, with whom he was associated in business. The remains were brought to Hawkinsville on Monday night, and were interred in Orange Hill cemetery on Tuesday morning. Eclipse Hook and Ladder Company, of which he was a member, escorted the body of their deceased comrade to the cemetery. Rev. E. J. Coates conducted the funeral services.

Died. At his home in Pulaski county, Ga., at 8 o'clock a.m., Friday, the first day of July 1887, William Madison Snell, aged 43 years, 4 months and 22 days. Mr. Snell was born near the place of his residence and death on the 9th day of February in the year 1844. He was married to Miss Lula Gibson, of Brunswick, Ga., on the 29th of November, 1883... Born after the death of his father, ...

A happy occasion, in which Pulaski and Dodge join hands. On Sunday, 3rd inst., at Snow, Dooly county, Mr. Samuel F. Horne and Miss M. E. Henderson were happily united in the holy bonds of wedlock. The ceremony occurred in the Baptist church at 4 o'clock in the evening, and was performed by Rev. A. J. Cheeves.

On Tuesday, the 5th inst., a party from the east side of the river composed of Messrs. J. S. Haskins and son, Jesse Fann, Aleck Dickson, George, Joe and Ben

Coody, went down for the purpose of seining what is known as Dead River, about ten miles below Hawkinsville, on this side of the Ocmuylgee. They entered the river and began seining, Aleck (Dickson) and Jesse Fann, who were both considered expert swimmers, managing the sein while the other young men were engaged in the work of driving the fish. They had been but a short time before they attempted to swim across the stream, when Mr. Haskins' son, who is quite a youth, became exhausted, and was about to sink. Mr. Dickson let go his hold on the sein and went to the rescue of the boy, and succeeded in pushing him forward to where he could touch bottom, when he (Dickson) took the cramp, it is supposed, and suddenly went under without uttering a word, and never rose again. Young Fann, who was still in swimming water, and witnessing the drowning of Dickson, became terribly frightened and commenced calling loudly for help, but before assistance couldd reach him he, too, sunk and was drowned. Mr. Haskins did not join the party in seining, and was out some distance on the shore when the drowning occurred. He went to work as quickly as possible, and in five or ten minutes recovered both of the bodies by himself, it is said, the other young men being so badly frightened that they refused to re-enter the water again and assist him. The body of Dickson was found in seven feet of water, and that of Fann had floated to a very shallow place rendering its recovery the work of but a moment. The unfortunate young men were both industrious hard workers, and their sad and untimely deaths are deeply regretted.

As we prepare to to to press the sad news reaches us of the accidental killing on the morning of the 4th inst of Mr. Simon L. Godwin, a young man in the employ of Messrs. Wilcox and Powell, lumber manufactures on the Ocmulgee river, some ten miles distant from Eastman. From the best information obtainable it appears that the unfortunate man, while in the discharge of his duty as head block-setter let his foot slip, which precipitated him head-foremost on the rapidly revolving saw. The fearful machine striking him on the head and passing downward severed his right arm and passed nearly directly through his body, tearing the flesh from his bones in a terrible manner and literally strewing the works around with brains and blood - a sight most awful to contemplate and worse to witness... The deceased was a native of North Carolina, and we tender our sympathies to near and dear friends at his former home, to whom the intelligence of his terrible ending will be received with bitter pangs of regret. Dodge County Journal

"Yesterday's Wedding Bells" Under the above heading the Macon Telegraph of Saturday last says, "A quiet marriage took place at Brown's Hotel yesterday afternoon, Rev. E. W. Warren officiating. Miss Leila E. Harris, of Warwick, Worth County, has been visiting the family of a relative at Byron and by an arrangement made by a mutual friend Mr. L. Watson, she came to Macon and met Mr. O. C. Bateman, one of the most successful farmers in Houston county. The young people were made one, and this morning will leave for Byron."

Little Fannie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rany, died of inflamation of the brain in Telfair county on the 25th of June, 1887, aged nine months... Her Aunt P. F. McDuffie.

Vol. 21, No. 29, Thursday Morning, 21 Jul.1887:

A runaway marriage occurred a few miles from Cochran on Thursday night last, the contracting parties being Mr. John Ham, a young farmer, and Miss Lee Newman, daughter of Mr. J. C. Newman.

Vol. 21, No. 30, Thursday Morning, 28 Jul.1887:

Oswell Baskin, the ten-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Baskin, died of typho-malarial fever on the 19th inst.

Vol. 21, No. 31, Thursday Morning, 4 Aug.1887:

Johnny, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Gaskins, died on the 16th ult., from a sore on the under part of its left knee...

Mr. Bolin P. Leaptrot, the oldest citizen of this section of Houston county, died at his home a few miles north of Echeconnee on the 20th ult. In a short time he would have been 84 years old. He leaves an aged widow and four children, three of whom live in this county and one in Alabama. Mr. Leaptrot lived with his surviving companion nearly 63 years. He removed to Houston from Washington county in the year 1852. He was a member of the Missionary Baptist Church for more thanb forty years... Houston Home Journal

Wilcox County Items. From the Abbeville Times... Married on the night of the 13th ult., at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Alfred Warren, Mr. J. W. Jordan and Miss Ida Warren, Rev. G. W. Murray officiating.

Vol. 21, No. 32, Thursday Morning, 11 Aug.1887:

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Mashburn have the sympathy of our people in their sorrow over the death of their infant daughter, Vivian Elizabeth, which sad event occurred at their home in this place on the 4th inst.

Mrs. DeLacy, wife of Col. John F. DeLacy, of Eastman, died at her home in that place on Tuesday evening last... She leaves a kind and indulgent husband and two loving children.

Vol. 21, No. 33, Thursday Morning, 18 Aug.1887:

Notes from Irwin: ... Mr. J. C. Dorminey's fifteen-year old son died on Monday of last week of some disease of the bladder. Dr. Ashley, of Minnie, attended him, and did all that medical science could suggest to arrest the disease.

Mr. Robert J. Taylor's youngest child, little Ezekiel, aged three years, died on the 11th inst.

Vol. 21, No. 34, Thursday Morning, 25 Aug.1887:

The Dodge County Journal announces the death of Mr. L. L. Peacock, a good

citizen of Dodge. Mr. Peacock was sixty-five years old, and was formerly a resident of Irwinton, Wilkinson county.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Bagby died this morning at their home on Pine Level.

Vol. 21, No. 35, Thursday Morning, 1 Sep.1887:

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. B. Holmes died at their home in Hawkinsville on Wednesday night last, 27th ult. The remains were interred in Orange Hill cemetery Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Willie B. Mitchell died at Abbeville, Wilcox county, Ga., on Thursday last of typhoid fever. He was a son of the late Thomas C. Mitchell, of Wilcox. Last spring he came to Hawkinsville and began the study of telegraphy under Mrs. Buff. He was about twenty-five years of age.

The Macon Telegraph of Sunday last contained the following items from Cochran: Mrs. Green Smith, Jr., three miles from Cochran, was stricken with congestion and fever last week, and the premature birth of twin boys (seven months) occurred. Puerperal fever followed and despite the closest attention she and both babes died three days after. The good woman and her husband had been married less than a year. The three were buried at Salem church in one coffin. Mrs. Smith was the daughter of Mrs. Bettie Pugh; Emmet L. Coleman died here on Thursday evening last from a relapse of ty-phoid fever. He was the third son of the late J. G. Coleman, Sr., of Macon, who was identified with the cotton warehouse business for many years pre-vious to his death. He leaves a wife and an infant half a year old; Mrs. Georgia Kent, nee Miss Martin, died three miles from here, on yesterday, of malarial hemorrhagic fever; Two children were brought to town from a distance this week for treatment and both died soon after arriving here...

Vol. 21, No. 36, Thursday Morning, 8 Sep.1887:

The six months old infant of Rev. and Mrs. A. Barnwell died on Friday night last.

Mr. B. R. Scarborough and Miss Lillie L. Carr, of this county, were married on the 26th ult. by Rev. Thos. Adams.

Mr. Samuel Young and Mrs. Lucretia Barnes, of Wilcox county, were united in the holy bonds of wedlock on the 3d inst. by Rev. R. G. B. Walters.

Mrs. Rebecca Ryals, consort of the late James Ryals of Dodge county, died at her home in Pond Town, in that county, on the 25th ult.

Col. James B. Mitchell, one of our most highly esteemed citizens and lawyers, was married to Mrs. Julia B. Hosford on Friday evening, 2d inst., at the residence of his brother-in-law, Judge L. C. Ryan, on Pine Level. The ceremony was performed by Judge Ryan...

A Beautiful Young Lady Killed and Her Lover Seriously Injured by a Runaway Horse. The Atlanta Journal of Saturday last says: Mr. Pierson who came to Atlanta today from Eastman, brought the news of a fatal accident at that place yesterday morning by which Miss McArthur, of Eastman was instantly killed, and young Mr. Person dangerously wounded. Miss McArthur, who was a niece of Mr. McArthur, of the legislature, was engaged to be married to Mr. Pierson, ...

Mr. Chas. Fitzgerald, a popular and enterprising young merchant, of this place, and Miss Belle Finleyson, a lovely and intelligent young lady of Wilcox county, were married in that county on Sunday morning last at ten o'clock at the residence of Rev. R. Pope, which divine performed the ceremony...

Vol. 21, No. 37, Thursday Morning, 15 Sep.1887:

Mr. A. L. Bond, an employe of the Amoskeag mills, met with a fatal accident on Tuesday afternoon last. He was working at the edger in the planing mill, running a plank through, and in striking the rollers rebounded, hitting the unfortunate man in the stomach, causing a very slight embrasure on the skin, but injuring him seriously internally. ... He lived till about 2 o'clock Wednesday morning when he gently passed away - conscious to the last. He leaves a wife and five small children, to whom the sympathy of this entire community goes out in measured terms. Dodge County Journal

Mr. W. A. Sherrill, of Cochran, and Mrs. Virginia Gunn of Perry, were married at the home of the latter in Perry on Wednesday night last, 7th inst. Rev. W. J. Robertson performed the ceremony.

Judge A. Curry, of Chauncey, Dodge county, died at his home in that place on Sunday night last, after an illness of several months. He was one of Chauncey's oldest and most highly esteemed citizens.

The fifteen-months old child of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pearce died at their home in Hawkinsville on Saturday night last, 10th inst. The remains were carried to Dooly county and interred at Harmony church on Sunday.

Mr. James Burrows, formerly a citizen of this county, died at Salt Lake City, Utah, in August last of consumption. Mr. Burrows moved west soon after the close of the late war, since which time he had been engaged in the mining business in Utah and Colorado. He was a brother of Mr. Joseph M. Burrows, of Hawkinsville.

From the Abbeville Times. Mrs. W. H. Bishop, of Irwin county, died at her home near Minne, August 15th, 1887. She leaves a sorrowing husband and seven children. She was a daughter of Mrs. Fleetwood of Telfair county, and was about forty years of age.

Mr. Charley Mullis, aged seventy-seven years, died at his home in Cochran on Friday evening last. Mr. Mullis was an eccentric old gentleman, and was uneducated, but was very successful as a financier, having accumulated an

estate valued at about $50,000. He leaves a wife and nine children, all of whom are grown except one.

Vol. 21, No. 38, Thursday Morning, 27 Sep.1887:

Mrs. Jesse Culpepper, wife of Mr. W. P. Culpepper died at her home near Gum Creek, Dooly county, on Friday, 25th ult., from an attack on typhoid fever...

Mr. Eugene L. Pound, one of the proprietors of the Macon Evening News died in that city on Sunday night last after an illness of twenty days of typo-malarial fever. Mr. Pound was born at Drayton, Dooly county, Ga., in 1866 and was in the twenty-second year of age. He was at one time an employee of the Dispatch office.

Vol. 21, No. 39, Thursday Morni8ng, 29 Sep.1887:

Hon. D. W. Cameron, member of the House of Representatives from Telfair county, and Miss Millie McEachin, daughter of Alexander McEachin of that county were married on Thursday last.

Wilcox County Item from the Abbeville Times. Married at the residence of the bride's father, on September the 8th, Miss Rutha Owens and Mr. William Livingston, Rev. T. B. Fuller officiating.

Mr. Adolph Jerger, formerly a jeweler in Hawkinsville and well known to the people of this section, died at Kissingen, Germany, a few weeks since.

Mr. W. Judson Wood, of Tennille, Ga., and Miss Leila Carswell, of this county, were married at the Baptist church in Cochran a few days since, Rev. W. S. Ramsay performing the ceremony.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pipkin, age about five months, died at their home in Hawkinsville on Friday last. The remains were interred in Orange Hill Cemetery on Saturday. Our sympathy is tendered the sorrowing parents.

Mrs. Georgia A. Brown, wife of David Brown, died at her home at Arcadia, Louisiana, on the 14th day of September, 1887, age fifty years. Mrs. Brown was a daughter of James L. and Elizabeth Wilcox, of that county, and a sister of Mrs. Jacob Watson, of Hawkinsville.

Vol. 21, No. 40, Thursday Morning, 6 Oct 1887:

Missing Issue

Vol. 21, No. 41, Thursday Morning, 13 Oct 1887:

One day last week Mrs. Doc Morgan, whose home is near Vienna came to Montezuma to visit relatives. She was not well when she left home and went to bed as soon as she arrived here with a severe case of fever and died

Tuesday morning. She was a sister of Mr. Jasper Lewis, and a most excellent lady. We tender our sympathies to the bereaved family and relatives. Montezuma Record

Willie Mae, the two year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Daniel, of this county, died on the 12th of September last.

Dean Paul, aged seventeen years, son of Mr. Charles Paul, of Cochran, died in that place on Sunday last.

Willie Love, the three months old infant of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Chancey, died at their home in this county on the 16th ult.

Wright Noles, the nine-year old son of Mr. J. W. Noles, of Dodge county, was crushed to death under the band and lever of a cotton gin a few days ago. He was riding on the lever and was drawn under the band. He was a bright boy.

Mr. Frank H. Taylor and Miss Sallie Luke were married at the residence of the bride's father, Judge J. C. Luke, in Wilcox county, on the 22nd ult. Rev. Zara Paulk, of Irvin, performed the ceremony.

Died at her home in Irwin county, Ga., at 10 o'clock p.m.. on the 30th day of July 1887, Mrs. Mary Lee, wife of Mr. J. J. Lee, aged 31 years, four months and 28 days. Mrs. Lee was a daughter of Judge J. C. and Mrs. Malinda Luke, of Wilcox county, Ga. She was married to Mr. Lee December 18, 1879, and was the mother of three children, all of whom are now living...

Mr. Chas. H. Everett and Miss Ella Forbes were united in the hold bonds of wedlock at the residence of Mrs. Tish Davies, in Dooly county, on the 30th ult., Rev. C. E. Boland performing the ceremony...

Married at the residence of Mr. John W. Bohannon, father of the bride, at Eastman on Sunday last, Mr. A. J. Mumford, of this place, and Miss Eugenia Bohannon, of Dodge county, Rev. P. A. Jessup officiating.

Vol. 21, No. 42, Thursday Morning, 20 Oct 1887:

Mrs. Mary Livingston, an aged and highly esteemed lady of this county, died on Saturday night, last, after a long and painful illness. Her remains interred Sunday afternoon at the old burial ground, a few miles from town.

Mr. James D. Choate died at his home in this place on Friday morning last of consumption, from which disease he had been a sufferer for two or three years... He leaves a wife and several children, who have the sympathy of our people in their bereavement.

Old Times in Pulaski County. Some of the Early Settlers and Their Descendants. Mitchell's District, Oct 15, 1887. (Compiler's Note: Some information abstracted.) This district was name (sic) for a Mr. Stephen Mitchell, who came here from Savannah about seventy years ago... a

granddaughter lives here now viz: Mrs. J. E. Marshall... John Lewis Lamkin, who was born in North Carolina in 1784, ... Lewis Abb Lewis Lamkin. was born in Westmoreland county, Virginia, in 1751... Mr. Simmons and Miss Mollie Brown were married last Sunday...

Vol. 21, No. 43, Thursday Morning, 27 Oct.1887:

Funeral Notice: The friends and acquintances of Rev. Dr. G. R. McCall and family, of Griffin, G. W. McCall and W. R. Taylor and family, of this place, are invited to attend the funeral of Miss Emmie McCall at Orange Hill Cemetery to-morrow (Thursday) morning at 10 o'clock.

On Thursday, Oct. 13th, at 10 o'clock, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. G. R. Coley, in this county, Mr. Robert S. Hardin was happily united in marriage to Miss Vanesse Coley, Rev. E. J. Coates officiating.

At the residence of Rev. Thomas J. Adams, father of the bride, on Pine Level, on Sunday last, 23rd inst. Mr. S. F. Price, of Albany, Ga., and Miss Lula Adams were united in the holy bonds of wedlock, Judge L. C. Ryan officiating.

The sad intelligence was received Tuesday morning announcing the death of Miss Emmie McCall, the lovely daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Geo. R. McCall, which occurred after a lingering illness, at their home in Griffin, Ga... The remains willl be brought to Hawkinsville to-night, (Wednesday) and interred in Orange Hill cemetery to-morrow morning.

Vol. 21, No. 44, Thursday Morning, 3 Nov.1887:

Mr. Hugh L. Barron, an old and well known citizen of this county, died at his home near town on Thursday evening last of consumption. The deceased was a Mason, and was buried in Orange Hill cemetery in this place on Friday evening by the members of that fraternity.

Byron, Ga., Oct 31. This morning about 7 o'clock Master Freddie Warren, the seventeen year-old son of Mr. T. D. Warren, of this place, had an epileptic fit and fell in the fire. His head and face were burned to a crisp and he expired in a few minutes after the family reached the room where he lay...

Mr. D. B. Craig and Mrs. Alice Taylor, widow of the late Mr. Sam Taylor, were united in marriage on Sunday last at the residence of Mr. Jacob Pearce, in Old Hartford, Rev. E. A. Burch officiating.

Irwinton, Ga., October 28. Near Bloodworth, Mr. John G. Smith, while out o'possum hunting, was accompanied by his two little daughters and two neighbor children, daughters of Mr. T. A. Moore. The dogs "treed" an o'possum; Mr. Smith placed the little girls to a place of safety, as he thought, far enough to be out of danger of the falling tree. While the tree was falling there was lodge (sic) in the top of it the top of another tree. As the tree fell, this top fell upon his little daughter Linnie, striking her on the back, mashing her in the earth and killing her instantly...

Vol. 21, No. 45, Thursday Morning, 10 Nov.1887:

Mr. B. B. Mixon, one of the oldest and most highly respected citizens of Wilcox county, died at his home near David Mills on Sunday last, 6th inst., aged about eighty years.

We regret to record the death of Mrs. Mary Kinchen, wife of Mr. James J. Kinchen, which occurred at her home a few miles east of Hawkinsville on Sunday morning last, 6th inst. The deceased was about sixty-nine years,old, and was a most excellent lady. The Dispatch extends its sympathy to the bereaved husband and family.

Marshall McGehee, the well known carpenter, died at his home in this place on Monday night last at 8 o'clock. The deceased was about sixty-seven years old, and had been a citizen of Hawkinsville for many years, and was always regarded as honest and upright in all his dealings with his fellowmen... He was brother of Adam McGehee, the well known merchant, who has been doing business in Hawkinsville for the past seventeen years.

Death of Susan Warren (Black Servant). This trusted servant in the family of the late Gen. Bli Warren, died yesterday evening at the residence of Judge W. L. Grice.

Vol. 21, No. 46, Thursday Morning, 17 Nov.1887:

The death of Mrs. Elizabeth Wilcox (Aunt Betsey) occurred at the home of her son-in-law, Judge Jacob Watson, in Hawkinsville, on Tuesday night, November 8, 1887. Mrs. Wilcox was born on the 10th of May, 1805, and was therefore in the eighty-third year of her age. She leaves only three children. Her only son is Mr. George M. Wilcox, of Dodge county, and her two daughters are Mrs. Watson, of Hawkinsville, and Mrs. Fronie Turner, wife of Rev. Elias Turner, of Polk county Florida. The remains were carried to Mt. Zion Church and interred by the grave of her husband, James L. Wilcox, below Abbeville, in Wilcox county.

Vol. 21, No. 47, Thursday Morning, 24 Nov.1887:

Mr. Bartow Potter, of Collier's Station, Ga., and Miss Mary Harvard, of Snow, Ga. were married on 16th inst.

Died November 1st, 1887, little Lester Llewellyn, youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Llewellyn Story in Irvin county, Ga. aged one year, eight months and twenty-five days...

Mr. John McMillan, Sr., one of the most highly esteemed citizens of Berrien county, died at his home near Alapaha, Ga., on Tuesday, 15th inst., age 77 years. A wife and twelve grown children survive him...

Mrs. Martha Paulk, the beloved wife of Hon. J. W. Paulk, died at her home in Irwin county on last Thursday morning, aged about 35 years. She leaves a

husband and seven or eight children and a host of other relatives and friends to mourn her untimely death. Alapaha Star, 9th Inst.

Tribute of Respect, Coffee Lodge No. 193, "FAM", October 22, 1887. ...John McCrimmon was born November 15, 1829, and died October 10, 1887, in the 58th year of his age... He was a soldier in the late war of undaunted courage, serving in Company B., 49th Georgia Regiment from March 1862, until Gen. Lee's surrender. It was said that he fired the Gun that killed Major General Kerney, at the battle of Ox Hill, September 1, 1862...

At 2:30 o'clock on Thursday, the 17th inst., the residence of the bride's father, Mr. J. E. DeVaughn, in Montezuma, was the occasion of a quiet and happy wedding, that of Miss Mamie DeVaughn to Mr. G. W. McCall, of this place, Dr. Geo. R. McCall, father of the groom, performing the ceremony in the presence of a few intimate friends and relatives...

Vol. 21, No. 48, Thursday Morning, 1 Dec.1887:

Dooly County Items From the Vindicator, Nov. 22d. ...We regret the sudden death of little Mary Wood, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Wood. The family has our sympathies.

Mr. Pleasant Partin, an old citizen of this town and county, departed this life on the 24th day of November, 1887, in the 64th year of his age. He died at the home of his son, Mr. John K. Partin. The remains were buried in Orange Hill cemetery with religious services by Rev. E. M. Whiting.

Vol. 21, No. 49, Thursday Morning, 8 Dec.1887:

Mrs. Sarah Barkwell, an aged lady living near Laurens Hill, Laurens county, had her clothing to catch on fire Tuesday of last week, and before the flames could be extinguished she was burned so badly that death ensued the following day. Mrs. Barkwell, in addition to being very feeble, was also nearly blind, and passing too close to the fire her clothing caught, and she had not the strength to put out the flames, but began to run immediately, and falling from the door bruised her face terribly. Dublin Gazette

Married, at the home of Mr. G. B. Sanders, father of the bride, in the Third District of Dooly county, by J. M. V. William, Esq., on the 30th ult., Mr. A. J. Williams and Miss Lulu Sanders.

Dr. Mark H. O'Daniel, of Milledgeville, was married to Miss Pearl Napier, at Jeffersonville, Ga., on Thursday, 1st inst. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. W. Warren, of Macon, and took place at the home of Mrs. W. E. Carswell, grandmother of the bride.

Dooly County Items From the Vindicator, Nov. 29th. ...Mr. John Whitehead's little son died suddenly on last Wednesday morning...

Vol. 21, No. 50, Thursday Morning, 15 Dec.1887:

Mr. Zack Taylor and Miss Achsah A. Brown, of Dodge county, were maried on the 24th ult.

Mrs. W. M. Roberson, an estimable lady of Telfair county, died on the 30th ult., after a lingering illness of several months. She was under treatment of Dr. Jas. M. Buchan, of our town, and from all appearances was rapidly improving; but on Tuesday night she grew much worse, and gently passed away on Wednesday 30th ult., as above stated. She leaves a husband, two children and one sister, to mourn their sad loss. Dodge County Journal

The Dooly Vindicator of last week reports the following deaths: Mr. William Whitsett died at his home on Saturday night last after several days of illness of typhoid fever; Mrs. Hardy Stevens, of Pateville, died last Sunday evening at her home. She was very old, and had been sick for sometime. Surely death was a relief for her; We are pained to learn of the decease of Mrs. Dooling, near Snow, on last Sunday morning at 4 o'clock of dysentery. The family and friends have our sincere sympathies.

Vol. 21, No. 51, Thursday Morning, 22 Dec.1887:

Notes from Irwin, Deaths... Drew, Ga., December 13 - ... Our community was caused to mourn the death of Mrs. Alexander McInnis, which sad event occurred on the morning of the 25th ult. In the death of Mrs. McInnis our county has lost an estimable daughter , the husband a devoted wife, and the children an affectionate mother. To the sorrowing husband and children we tender our heart felt sympathy in their sad bereavement. The infant of Mrs. Drew, who recently died in South Carolina, died last week at Mr. Drew's, of this place, and was interred at the school house near here.

Dooly County Items From the Vindicator. We are sorry to chronicle the death of Mrs. Wade, a sister of Mr. Rich Bowen of Drayton...; Miss Maggie Clark, a most estimable lady of Lee county, died last week, and was buried here last Thursday amid other of her relatives. She many years ago lived in and around Vienna, and many of our oldest citizen, remember her.

Wilcox Item From the Abbeville Times... Mr. Charlie Bruce, of this place, was married last Sunday morning in Dooly county to Miss Lizzie Bowen...

Mr. Lawson F. Way died at the home of his father, Dr. B. F. Way, in Hawkinsville, on Friday night last. He was twenty-six years of age, and died with consumption after a long illness.

Mrs. Mary Fitzgerald, wife of Mr. Robert J. Fitzgerald, died at Abbeville, Wilcox county, Ga., on Sunday morning last. She was a daughter of Hon. Smith Turner, who died in 1880. The burial took place on Monday, the funeral services being preformed by Rev. J. W. Mashburn, by whom the deceased was baptised.

Married at the residence of Mr. J. M. Floyd, father of the bride, near Eureka, Dooly county, Ga., on the 1st inst. by Rev. Jordan Hobbs. Mr. I. T. Stephens, of Pulaski, and Miss Nancy Floyd.

Married at the residence of J. M. V. Williams, Esq., father of the bride, in the Third District of Dooly county, on the 11th inst., Mr. Robert H. Mashburn and Miss Martha Williams, Rev. G. T. Stansburg officiating. Mr. Mashburn is a brother of our fellow townsman, Mr. Tuck Mashburn, and Miss Williams is a daughter of one of the representative men of the county.

Vol. 21, No. 52, Thursday Morning, 27 Dec.1887:

(Editor's Note: No reference made to existance of this issue.)

Vol. 22, No. 1, Thursday Morning, 5 Jan.1888:

Part Missing - (Pages 1 & 2)

Mr. Emmet Barnes and Miss Roberta Waddell were married at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Hardy Cross, in Houston County, on the 20th ult.

Married, January 1, at the residence of Mr. John W. Lemmon, of Butts county, by James C. Maddux, Esq., Mr. J. W. Broadaway, of Dooly county, and Miss Mary A. Lemmon, of Butts county...

Married, at the home of Mr. J. N. Jones, father of the bride, in Dodge county, Ga., on the 13th December, 1887, by Rev. G. W. Pharr, Mr. Allen R. Johnson and Miss Jamie Jones.

Vol. 22, No. 2, Thursday Morning, 12 Jan.1888:

In Memorian: Little Aline, infant daughter of Mr. & Mrs. D. G. Quattlebaum, breathed her last at the home of her parents, in Dooly county, on the night of December 31st, 1887, age one year 10 months and 10 days... Laramore

Vol. 22, No. 3, Thursday Morning, 19 Jan.1888:

Mr. Murdock Pipkin, a well known farmer of this county died of pneumonia at his home near Cochran on Wednesday last, 11th inst. Mr. Pipkin was about sixty seven years old, and leaves a large family.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Rainey, aged two months, died at the home of her parents in Hawkinsville on Wednesday last, 11th inst. The remains were taken to Perry and interred in the cemetery at that place on Thursday.

Vol. 22, No. 4, 26 Jan.1888:

Mr. John A. White, aged twenty-eight years, died from an attack of pneumonia a few days ago at his home in this county, a few miles from Cochran. The deceased was the eldest son of the late Major Joseph M. White, of Laurens

county.

Thomas C. Taylor, Esq., formerly of Hawkinsville, but now a prominent lawyer of Americus, was married at Abbeville, Ga., on Sunday last to Mrs. Ida Barclay. Ceremony performed by Rev. T. B. Fuller at the home of Mr. W. H. Dickey, father of the bride. May the breezes ever bring you prosperity, Colonel.

Hon. Joel T. Coney, late Representative in the legislature, died at his home in Laurens county on Tuesday last. A few days ago he ran a splinter in the palm of his hand, and the wound produced lockjaw. Mr. Coney was popular and wealthy, and was charitable with his means.

... At the residence of her brother-in-law, Mr. J. M. Burrows, on Wednesday last, the 18th inst., Miss Maggie Hodges was united in marriage to Mr. John L. Hendley, a go-ahead young farmer of this county, Rev. E. M. Whiting officiating.

Vol 22, No. 5, Thursday Morning, 2 Feb.1888:

From the Alapaha Star. On Thursday, 19th ult., at the home of her son, Mr. J. W. Paulk in Irwin county, Mrs. Faithy Paulk departed this life, aged over eighty years.

Dr. T. F. Walker died at his home in Cochran, Ga., this (Wednesday) morning at 8 o'clock. The remains will be buried to-morrow (Thursday), and the Masonic Lodge of Hawkinsville will take part in the ceremonies.

... Wednesday evening last, at the residence of the bride, Mr. Willie Wimberly was united in marriage to Mrs. Emma C. Williamson, Rev. A. Barnwell performing the ceremony...

Vol 22, No. 6, Thursday Morning, 9 Feb.1888:

Mrs. W. J. Barlow died at her home near Snow, Dooly County, on Sunday last, 5th inst. The deceased was the mother of Mrs. G. B. Netherton, of this place, and the widow of the late Dr. Barlow, of Americus.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brown lost their baby boy, aged about twelve months, on Friday night last, its death resulting from an attack of cholera infantum...

Mrs. Sarah Warren, wife of Mr. George Warren and Sister of Mr. Willie Johnson, died at her home in Dooly county, Ga., February 2d, 1888, aged thirty-two years. Her remains were buried at the family burial groud by the grave of her father, the late Israel Johnson, in the Eleventh District of Dooly county. The funeral was preached at the grave by Rev. Thomas Bullington.

Vol. 22, No. 7, Thursday Morning, 16 Feb.1888:

Ida Clifford, the three year old daughter of Mr. & Mrs. J. P. Futch, of Abbeville, was attacked with a congestive chill and died very suddenly on

Sunday morning last.

Dr. T. F. Bivens and Miss Mary Gammage, daughter of Mr. J. M. Gammage, were married at the home of the bride's parents, in Dooly county, on Wednesday, 8th inst.

Notes From Irwin. Drew, Ga. February 7. Pneumonia is prevailing in some parts of our county, but up to this writing, we have heard of but one death, that of Mrs. A. J. Lisenby, which occurred on the 15th ult., after a brief illness.

Mrs. Nancy Dickson, an aged lady of this county died suddenly last Saturday. At the time of her death there was no one with her but some children.

Vol. 22, No. 8, Thursday Morning, 23 Feb.1888:

Mrs. M. E. Gary, proprietress of the hotel at McRae, Telfair county, Ga., is dead.

Mr. G. D. McD. Nathan, of St. Louis, Mo., and Miss Lucy Pringle, of Perry, Ga., were married at the latter place on the 9th inst. Rev. H. R. Felder, uncle of the bride, officiating.

Mr. D. H. Hendley informed us on Monday last that his father, Mr. William Hendley, died at his home in Vanzandt county, Texas, on the 26th day of January last, aged eighty years. Mr. Hendley moved from this county to Texas in 1867. His wife, Mrs. Sarah Hendley, died in October last, aged seventy-one years. She was a sister of Messrs. Levi H. and John W. Harrell, of Pulaski.

Mr. W. S. Riley, of Hayneville, and Miss Florence Buff, of Hickory Grove, Houston county, were married on Wednesday last at the home of the bride in the latter place. The happy couple were tendered an elegant reception at the home of the groom's parents Dr. and Mrs. S. A. Riley, in Hawkinsville, on Thursday.

Mr. C. D. Clegg, aged about eighty years, died at the home of his son-in-law, Mr. Albert Kleckly, in Macon County, on Wednesday, 15th inst. The deceased was the father of Mr. P. C. Clegg, of Hawkinsville.

Houston County News From the Home Journal... The many friends in Perry of Mrs. Sarah Jenkins, wife of Mr. Wesley Jenkins, will be pained to learn that she died at her home in Altoona, Florida, last Friday. As many of our readers know, Mrs. Jenkins was a sister of Mrs. Camilla King, of Perry. Mr. Jenkins is an uncle of our fellow-townsman, Judge A. S. Giles. The letter conveying the sad intelligence to Mrs. King contained no particulars of her sister's death.

Dooly County Items From the Vindicator... Died, near Snow, on the 7th inst., Mrs. James Crisps, a most estimable lady, she leaves a bereaved husband and motherless children and many friends to mourn their loss.

Vol. 22, No. 9, Thursday Morning, 1 Mar.1888:

Capt. John A. Harrell, a well known and valuable citizen of Dodge County, died at his home near Chauncey on Tuesday morning last. He was buried on Wednesday by the Masons of Eastman and Chauncey.

Yesterday evening a messenger came to Hawkinsville after a coffin for Mr. James M. Lindsay, who was shot and killed on Tuesday morning at his farm ten miles this side of Vienna, in Dooly county. The messenger, who was a colored man, told the following story as to how the deceased came to his death. Mr. Lindsay had in his employ a kinsman in the person of Crawford Lindsay, being his own cousin. Monday morning Crawford came to Hawkinsville and return home under the influence of whiskey or some other kind of intoxicant. He had driven Mr. Lindsay's mules very hard and in a reckless manner, and he reproved him for his conduct. Crawford became enraged, and some words passed between them, but Mr. Lindsay, not wishing to have a difficulty with him, walked away and left him. The next morning (Tuesday) Mr. Lindsay took his gun to go bird hunting and went by the field to give his hands some instructions about their work and there met up with Crawford. He again spoke to him about driving his mules so hard, and Crawford commenced cursing and abusing him. Finally Mr. Lindsay told Crawford if he did not stop abusing him he would knock him in the head with his gun. Crawford, who was a larger and much more muscular man than Mr. Lindsay, then sprang upon him, and placing one arm around his waist, pulled a pistol from his pocket with the other hand, and placing it in Mr. Lindsay's face pulled the trigger. The ball entered just below the eye and passed through his head, producing almost instant death. Mr. Lindsay's brother was only a short distance away, and heard the report of the pistol, but before he could reach him life was extinct. It is said that Crawford made the remark just previous to the tragedy that either himself or Lindsay would be killed that day. The colored man who came for the coffin says that there were two witnesses to the affair. Crawford fled but we learn was captured last night by a party who went immediately in pursuit of him. Mr. Lindsay was an industreous and highly esteemed young man, and leaves a wife and two small children. He was formerly in the mercantile business in Hawkinsville, and his friends here were shocked at the news of his sad and untimely death.

The Powersville correspondent of the Houston Home Journal, in that paper of the 23 of February says: The late widow of David Walker, Sr., died at her home near Powersville last Tuesday night. Mr. & Mrs. Walker were among the first settlers of Houston county. They moved from South Carolina about the year 1820 (68 years ago), and they both lived and died at the same place they settle upon after reaching this county. There were only three or four settlers in the county when they came here. They raised a large family, and accumulated quite a nice fortune. Mrs. Walker was among the best women of our county. She joined the Primitive Baptist Church eight years ago, and never failed to occupy her seat at the regular meetings unless providentially hindered. She was 88 years of age at the time of her death. She leaves three sons and two daughters, and a host of friends to mourn her loss.

Vol. 22, No. 10, Thursday Morning, 8 Mar 1888:

Miss Carrie Downs, formerly of Hawkinsville, was united in marriage with Mr. W. A. Maddox, in Jefferson county, Florida, on the 23 ult., Rev. Daniel Bryant officiating.

We regret to announce the death of Mr. Arthur Newman, a clever and good old citizen of this county. He died very suddenly with heart disease at his home three miles below Hawkinsville on Tuesday afternoon March 6th, 1888. He had been up attending to business during the day, and had undertaken of a hearty dinner. His daughter, Mrs. Sheriff Hunt, reached him a few minutes before death. Mr. Newman was seventy-three years of age, and had lived in Pulaski county about forty-five years. His remains were buried this (Wednesday) afternoon in the family burial ground near his old home three miles above Hawkinsville.

Mrs. Louisa Mullis, wife of Mr. Joel Mullis, died at her home in Dodge county, Ga., on February 22, 1888, aged sixty-nine years. She was married to Joel Mullis in Jasper county, Ga., in 1839. Her death was very sudden, resulted in a half hour from the attack. She cooked and ate a hearty dinner. She leaves four sons and two daughters, the youngest child being twenty-six years of age. We deeply sympathize with the bereaved husband in his old age, and the sorrowing children.

The Dodge County Journal, in announcing the death of Capt. John A. Harrell, of that county, says: In the death of Captain Harrell Dodge county sustains the loss of one of her most valued citizens... The remains were interred in the Parkerson Church Cemetery with Masonic honors.

Vol. 23, No. 11, Thursday Morning, 15 Mar.1888:

Mr. Tom Brown and Miss Mattie Walker, of Wilcox county, were married on the 8th inst.

Mr. Alexander Gaines and Miss Jane Paul were married near Drayton, Dooly county, on the 4th inst.

Miss Julia Hargrove and Mr. C. S. Horne, of Sumter county, were united in marriage on the 29th ult. The bride is a sister of Judge Hargrove, of Dooly County.

Mr. J. W. Mann, formerly of Perry, who had many friends and acquaintances in Houston and Pulaski counties, died in Milledgeville on Sunday afternoon last. Mr. Mann moved from Perry to Milledgeville a few weeks since to take charge of the Oconee House at the place. His death was caused by an attack of pneumonia.

Vol. 22, No. 12, Thursday Morning, 22 Mar.1888:

Mrs. Hardy Stephens, an old citizen living in the lower part of Dooly county, died last week.

Dr. C. M. Bold, an old physician, died at the home of Mr. Dorminey, in Pulsaki county, a few days ago. Dr. Bold was a native of South Carolina, but had lived in Georgia many years. He was truly an honest man.

W. B. Whiddon and B. V. Holland Killed and Their Still Destroyed. A terrific cyclone passed through Telfair County this (Wednesday) morning, killing and wounding several persons and doing much damage. Mr. W. B. Whiddon, of Eastman, and his partner, Mr. B. V. Holland were both killed, also Joe Neiville and Joe Turner (both white) from Virginia...

Major John H(aynes) Pate was killed in a railroad accident near Blackshear, Pierce county, Ga., on Saturday last about ten o'clock. He left Savannah that morning as a passenger on the fast mail train, over S. F. & W. Railroad from New York for Florida. He was on the way to meet his wife and his son Joe at Sanford. The train was running at a speed of about forty miles an hour. The accident occurred at the trestle on Hurrican creek, one mile east of Blackshear... The remains, in care of Hon. Joseph L. Warren, reached Hawkinsville on the four o'clock train on Sunday afternoon. An immense throng of people met the train, and the coffin being placed in the hearse, was followed by a long procession of carriages and buggies to the home of his son, McC., on Pine Level. The burial took place on Monday afternoon at four o'clock. Mrs. Pate and her son Joe arrived from Florida at 12 o'clock that day, also her daughter Anna and her husband, Mr. W. B. Steele, from Atlanta... The remains were escorted to Orange Hill Cemetery by a procession of Free Masons from Hawkinsville and Cochran lodges. After brief services by Rev. Crawford Jackson, the ceremonies were concluded by the Masons. Major John H(aynes) Pate was born near Sandersville, in Washington county, Ga., November 2, 1830, and was therfore in his 58th year. He left Pulaski county as a lieutenant in company K, 49th Georgia regiment, and rose to the rank of Major in a short while. He distinguished himself for gallantry at the battle of Cedar Run, in the campaign around Richmond in 1862. Col. Manning, in command of the regiment, was mortally wounded in this battle, and was taken from the field. Lieutenant Gaines, from this county, was also killed and William R. Sapp lost his arm. He is still living in this county. Major Pate was wounded but remained with his men. In 1863, though still in the army, Major Pate was elected to the Georgia State Senate from this county, defeating C. M. Bozeman by a small vote. After the war closed Major Pate and Judge Bozeman became partners in the warehouse business here. Major Pate was a man of the utmost candor, and expressed his opinions fearlessly upon all questions and all occasions. He was possessed of generous impulses, and stood by his friends with unswerving fidelity. He was devoted to his family, and they have not on (sic) lost a kind husband, father, and brother, but Hawkinsville and Pulaski County have lost a good citizen.

Houston County Items From the Home Journal. Just as we go to press this morning the sad intelligence reaches us that Mr. T. J. Cater had just died at six o'clock a.m. today. The lateness of the hour prevent a more extended notice this week.

Vol. 22, No. 13, Thursday Morning, 29 Mar.1888:

Obituary: Mr. Thomas H. Marchman, of Houston county, son of Mr. & Mrs. James Marchman, departed this life on February 16, 1888, aged forty-nine years, six months and twenty-two days. He died with Lung disease, which which he suffered for several years. He leaves two sisters to mourn their loss, but they hope that their loss will be his eternal gain, for his suffering body is at ease and his sould at rest... His Sister

In Memoriam: We the undersigned, a committe appointed by Mount Hope Lodge, No. 9, Free and Accepted Masons, to present suitable resolutions upon the death of our brother John Haynes Pate report as follows: On Saturday, March 17, 1888, he was on the way from Savannah to visit his son in Florida. At Hurricane Creek, near Blackshear, a terrible railroad accident occurred. The cars broke through the trestle and numbers were killed and wounded. Among the dead, instantly killed, was our beloved brother. His friend and brother Mason, J. L. Warren, brought his body here to his home on Sunday, March 18th, and on Monday, March 19, 1888, it was buried with Masonic honors in Orange Hill Cemetery by Mount Hope Lodge. He was born in Washington County, near Sandersville, on November 2nd, 1830, and in 1858 became a citizen of Hawkinsville. He was a gallant Confederate soldier and Major of the 49th Georgia Regiment, and was wounded at Gettysburg. He ably represented the 14th Senatorial District in the Georgia Senate for two years. At the time of his death he was State Inspector of fertilizers. J. Z. T. Fann, P. T. McGriff, J. S. Willis, E. A. Burch, L. C. Ryan, A. A. Smith, Committee.

Vol. 22, No. 14, Thursday Morning, 5 Apr.1888:

We regret to chronicle the death of Mr. Jessie Parker from inflamation of the bowels. Mr. Parker a few days ago was trying to work a Texas pony, and in some maner (sic) not to be ascertained, was injured internally from which he died on Saturday morning last. Mr. Parker was only about two months ago maried to a Miss White, who has the sympathy of the entire community. Dooly Vindicator

Mrs. Leitha Rogers, of Dodge county, met her death in a rather strange and sudden manner on Monday last. On Saturday previous she complained of feeling unwell. Sunday she was induced to take some pills, which had been purchased of some peddler passing through the neighborhood, and on Monday morning she was taken with a burning sensation in the throat, which soon penetrated the stomach, and she died before medical aid could reach her... Dodge County Journal

Mr. Miles Bembry, an old and well-to-do citizen of this county, died at his home on the east side of the river last Sunday morning at seven o'clock. Mr.

Bembry had been in a feeble state of health for some time and was stricken with bronchitis, which terminated in his death. He was about sixty-three years old, and had been a citizen of Pulaski county since childhood.

Vol. 22, No. 15, Thursday Morning, 12 Apr.1888:

Rev. J. M. Donaldson, a well known and beloved Baptist minister, died at his home in Laurens county on Saturday night, March 31st.

Vol. 22, No. 16, Thursday Morning, 19 Apr.1888:

None Listed

Vol. 22, No. 17, Thursday Morning, 26 Apr.1888:

Items From Wilcox. Abbeville Times... Miss Catherine Taylor, aged fifty years, died at the residence of Mr. John Smith, her brother-in-law, in this county, on the evening of the 11th inst. She was a member of the Primitive Baptist church ten or twelve years. She was a consistent christian and led a blameless life. She was a great sufferer for the last three years. She was buried on the place where she died.

Mr. Robert D. Brown and Miss Ada Anderson, daughter of Capt. R. W. Anderson, were married this (Wednesday) morning at the home of the bride's parents, three miles northwest from Hawkinsville.

Hon. William A. Jeter, former mayor of Hawkinsville, but now living in Brunswick, returned this week on a sad errand - to attend the funeral of his father. (Compiler's Note: His father was A. A. Jeter.)

Death of A. A. Jeter. This well known citizen died last Sunday at his home in Houston county, age sixty-six years, after a short illness caused by paralysis. He leaves a widow and five children, three sons and two daughters. Mr. Jeter was a strong man mentally and physically... He was practical and successful in his business, a good neighbor, and an active and useful member of the Methodist church. He was buried Monday in the cemetery at this place, Rev. E. M. Whiting officiating. A good man has gone to his reward.

Mr. Lee Henderson, of Hawkinsville, received on Monday last from the Pension Department of the United States Government a check for one thousand and fifty-two dollars, payable to Mrs. Sarah A. Henderson, widow of Hillory Henderson, who was a soldier in the War of 1812. Mrs. Henderson lives in this county, on the east side of the river, on the old homestead of her husband. The check is the arrearages on a pension granted by Congress in March 1878 to the soldiers of 1812 or their widows. Lee Henderson is a grandson of the old soldier, and is associate principal of the Hawkinsville Institute. His father, Mr. Tillet Henderson, lives near Snow Spring, Dooly county, and is about sixty-five years of age. A few years ago Lee attended school in North Carolina and last year he determined to search the records for proof of his grandfather's services in the War of 1812 in order to secure, for his

grandmother the pension allowed by Congress ten years ago. He knew his grandfather moved from North Carolina to Georgia about 1816. Through the Secretary of State of North Carolina in September last he was placed in correspondence with the Quartermaster General of that State, and by paying the usual fee for service rendered in searching the records he learned that his grandfather Hillory Henderson, was a soldier in a regiment of North Carolina troops in 1812. He enlisted in a company from Onslow county commanded by Capt. William Mitchell, and the company was a part of a regiment commanded by Col. Maurice Moore. Having secured the certificate of the Quartermaster General of North Carolina to the foregoing facts, Lee forwarded the papers to Washington City, and asked the aid of Judge Crisp, the able Congressman from this District. Our representative acted promptly, as he always does in behalf of constituents, and the Pension Department soon verified the records. It required several months and much work to establish the facts, but Lee Henderson is a young man with indomitable will and energy. The result was, as stated, on Monday last the Knoxville Agency forwarded to him for his grandmother a check for $1052.67, being the amount of pension due from March, 1878, to March, 1888. The amount allowed was eight dollars per month from 1878 to 1886, when the allowance was increased to $12 per month. The old lady will receive $144 a year from now until her death, the money to be forwarded every quarter.

Vol. 22, No. 18, Thursday Morning, 3 May 1888:

From the Macon Telegraph, 30 ult. A Telegraphic Account. The following special in connection with the above was received last night: Toomsboro, April 20. – Mr. Jim Sheffield, of Irwinton, was shot and instantly killed and robbed while on his way home last night by Will Collins, a negro, who was tracked from the spot to his home, a short distance away, where he was captured. The inquest jury find that Mr. Sheffield came to his death by a gunshot wound at the hands of Will Collins, and that the killing was wilful murder...

On Wednesday morning last at 11 o'clock, at the residence of the bride's parents Mrs. and Mr. R. W. Anderson, their lovely daughter Miss Ada Anderson, was united in marriage to Mr. Robert D. Brown, Rev. John F. Eden officiating...

Vol 22, No. 19, Thursday Morning, 10 May 1888:

Telfair County Items. We get the following items from the McRae Enterprise of last week: T. H. Calhoun, of Washington county, and Miss Lizzie McMillian, of McVille, were married in the Methodist Church at McVille last Thursday, Rev. H. M. Morrison officiating...; Mr. James Campbell died at his home in this county last Sunday at 9:00 o'clock after several years of suffering. He was buried at Turnpike church on Monday. He leaves many friends and relatives to mourn their loss.

Dooly County Items From the Vindicator: Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jackson lost their infant child last week. It was stricken down seemingly in almost the best of health; It is with a heart of sadness that we write of the death of

little Tommie Bedgood, a son of Mr. R. A. Bedgood of Arabi. Little Tommie was just ten years old, and an exceptionally bright lad for his age, always kind, obliging and obedient.

Mr. Joe D. McLeod, a former citizen of Pulaski county, died at his home in Tattnall county on the 22d ult.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hafer, an aged lady of Houston county, was stricken with paralysis on Monday, 30th ult., and died at the home of her son, Mr. D. H. Culler, on Saturday night.

Mr. John Counts died near Goldsboro, in this county, on Saturday night last, Mr. Counts was native of South Carolina, and move to this county about eight or ten years ago.

Notes from Irwin, Gip, Ga., May 1... Mrs. Elizabeth Young, aged seventy-five years, died at the residence of her son Mr. George Young, on the morning of the 25th ult., and was interred near Dorminey's Mill the following day...

Vol. 22, No. 20, Thursday Morning, 17 May 1888:

Eastman Items. From the Dodge County Journal. Mr. R. M. Duggan, of Dublin, Ga. and Miss Maudie Clements, of Telfair county, were united in holy bonds of matrimony at the residence of the bride's parents on the 8th inst., Rev. J. T. Rogers officiating.

The first marriage occurred at Cordele, the new town on the A. P. & L. railroad in Dooly, a few days ago, the contracting parties being a Mr. Stone and Miss Mollie Dees.

In Memory of Little Lula Swoards ...Little Lula was a lovely child, and the darling babe of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Swoards. For one year, and one month she was the fondest hope of their lives... She died at her home May 3, 1888, after an illness of three weeks... P. L. McDuffie, McRae Enterprise please copy.

Telfair Happenings. We get the following items from the McRae Enterprise of the 10th inst: Mr. P. F. A. Webb and Miss Belle Clements, of this county, were married at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Jacob C. Clements...; Married, on the 6th inst. at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Clark Wilcox, Rev. Murrel Williamson officiating, Mr. M. W. Brophy to Miss Nannie Willcox...; Mr. C. W. Maloy was most happily married to Miss Sadie Powell, of Neilly, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Jasper Powell on Thursday night last, J. G. Walker, M.G., officiating...

Vol. 22, No. 21, Thursday Morning, 24 May 1888:

Married at the residence of Mr. D. G. Fleming, brother-in-law of the bride, in Hawkinsville on Wednesday evening last, Mr. S. F. Phillips and Miss Lizzie Jones were united in the holy bonds of wedlock, Rev. R. C. Sanders.

Hon. James H. Dyches died at his home in Hawkinsville a little after twelve o'clock on Monday last. Mr. Dyches had been in feeble health for many years, and his death was not unexpected, though greatly regretted by our citizens. He was Mayor of Hawkinsville for several years, and was a faithful and efficient officer. He was proud of his town, and as Mayor did all he could to build it up. He was public-spirited and enterprising, and had accumulated valuable property, which he leaves free of debt to his widow and little daughter. Mr. Dyches had many strong friends, many of whom have known him for over twenty years. He was a native of South Carolina, having moved to Hawkinsville soon after the war. About 1874 he was married to Miss Sallie Reid, daughter of Hon. Geo. R. Reid, of Wilcox county. The burial took place at Orange Hill Cemetery in Hawkinsville, this (Wednesday) morming with Masonic honors, followed by Rev. John F. Eden.

McRae, May 21. - Mr. Gilbert M. McRae, of near this place, dropped dead with heart disease this morning while at work in his field. He did not utter a word after he fell. His son saw him fall and ran to him, but life was extinct when he reached him. He ate a small breakfast, but had been unwell for several days. He was subject to heart afflictions. His father also died with the same disease. He leaves a large family, and many relatives and friends grieve for his loss. He was a Mason and will be buried here by his brethren tomorrow morning.

Vol. 22, No. 22, Thursday Morning, 31 May 1888;

Mrs. Landfair, wife of Mr. Allen Landfair, of Cochran, died at her home in that place on Friday evening last.

The remains of Mr. R. C. Halliburton's little baby were brought down on the train today from Macon, and will be buried in the cemetery here this evening.

Just as we go to press we learn of the death of Mrs. Bagby, wife of Mr. Albert Bagby, which occurred at her home about ten miles south of Hawkinsville.

Mr. John Harry Anderson died at his home two miles from Hawkinsville on Tuesday evening last. He had been seriously ill for several days. He was a brother of Mr. William M. Anderson.

Mrs. Naomi Horne, wife of Mr. Geo. R. Horne, died at her home near Pine Hill, in the Third District of Dooly county, on Saturday last, May 26th. Mrs. Horne was a daughter of Marcus Kemp, who died eight years ago. She was a devoted wife and mother, and greatly loved by her neighbors. The remains were buried at Pine Hill on Sunday last, the ceremonies at the grave being performed by Rev. R. Bullington.

The Abbeville Times says that "Mrs. Susunnah Graham, wife of Joseph S. Graham, fell dead in her cow-pen last Wednesday morning while attending to her cows. She had been sick but had recovered sufficiently to attend to her domestic affairs and was thought to be well. She was between 45 and 50 years of age and a member of the Baptist church. Mrs. Graham lived 8 miles from

Abbeville."

From Irwin County. Gip, Ga., May 26. - Mr. James Bishop and Miss Fannie McDermid were united in the holy bonds of matrimony at the residence of Mr. Jacob Fussell on the evening of the 8th inst...; The little son of Mr. C. C. Fletcher, of Minnie, died on the 20th, after a lingering illness of typhoid fever. We tender condolence to the stricken parents in the death of their first and only child. Fred

Uncle Natt Statham. This old man is now in his 93rd year, and is poor and almost penniless. He is receiving a small sum from the county, we do not know how much. He made a good soldier in the Indian War, and has never received anything from the government. He will not cost the government or his county much, for the once brave, strong, athletic form who rendered his county much valuable service, will not trouble anyone very long. If the government knew of him and his condition, and his fine war record it would bestow upon its faithful son the now much needed aid. He needs it. Who will help us to make a proper showing to the government, and if possible get him his pension? Abbeville Times.

In Memoriam: Hall of Mt. Hope Lodge, No. 9, F. A. M., Hawkinsville Ga., May 25, 1888. Again we are called upon to mourn the death of a brother. Brother James H. Dyches has gone... He moved to this county in the year 1865 from Blackville, S. C., and engaged in mercantile pursuits,... He served the town as Mayor for three terms and as alderman several terms... He was last Master of this Lodge, and also a Companion of Pulaski Chapter No. 20 F. A. M. He was about fifty-one years of age and leaves a devoted wife and daughter to mourn his irreparable loss...

Dodge County Items (Dodge County Journal): At Dempsey, Ga., Sunday last, 20th inst., by Rev. Mr. Flanders, Mr. J. C. Rawlins and Miss Sallie Lovett, both of Eastman, were married; On the evening of the 16th of May, at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. J. M. Henderson, Mr. W. C. Morgan and Miss Carrie C. Parks were married.

Vol. 22, No. 23, Thursday Morning, 7 Jun.1888:

Missing.

Vol. 22, No. 24, Thursday Morning, 14 Jun.1888:

Mr. Z. B. Means and Miss Pauline Pool, of Houston county, were married at Henderson on Wednesday evening of last week.

Miss Conelia L. King, daughter of Mrs. Thos. King, of this county, and Mr. Henry R. Smith, of Oconee, Washington county, Ga., were married at the residence of Josphine Tarver, brother-in-law of the bride in Hawkinsville on Sunday evening last at half-past one o'clock, Rev. John F. Eden performing the ceremony. Mr. Smith left with his bride on the 2 o'clock train for Oconee, where they will reside in the future.

Hon. Tom Eason, Solicitor General of the Oconee Circuit, and Miss Sallie Smith, daughter of Dr. H. H. Smith, of Jacksonville, Telfair county, were married at the home of the bride's parents on the 5th inst. Rev. W. M. C. Conley officiating. The happy couple left for Cumberland, St. Augustine, and other points. The bride is a graduate of Wesleyan Female College, Macon, Georgia, and is a charming lady. As for Tom Eason, everybody knows him, and hundreds of friends wish him and his lady much happiness.

Vol. 22, No. 25, Thursday Morning, 21 Jun.1888:

News has reached Hawkinsville of the death of Mr. Luther W. Walker, at his home near Union Srings, Alabama, a few days ago. He was a brother of Dr. Virgil H. Walker, of this county.

Vol. 22, No. 26, Thursday Morning, 28 Jun.1888:

On Tuesday morning of last week Mr. William Lee, who lived near Cochran, was found dead in bed by his wife. It is supposed that he died of paralysis of the heart.

Many of the citizens of Hawkinsville remember Mr. Hale, the father of Mrs. N. Westcott, who moved from Hawkinsville to Florida a few years ago. News has been received that the old gentleman died at Winter Haven, Florida, on the 14th day of this month. He was eighty-five years and ten days old at the time of his death. Mr. Hale was a good old Democrat, and knew all the Presidents from Andrew Jackson to Grover Cleveland.

Married on Tuesday afternoon last, by Rev. J. R. King, at the M. E. church, in this city, Mr. P. L. Walker, of Gadsden, Ala., and Miss Mattie Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Williams, of this city... Milledgeville Union and Records. The groom is a son of Dr. V. H. Walker, of Cochran, and the Dispatch adds its best wishes.

Vol. 22, No. 27, Thursday Morning, Jul.1888:

(This paper is missing.)

Vol. 22, No. 28, Thursday Morning, 12 Jul.1888:

Col. William F. Kelsey, of Cochran, and Miss Alice Embree, of Augusta, Ga., were married at the home of the bride in the latter city on Thursday, June 28th.

Mrs. Annie Harrell, wife of Hon. Levi H. Harrell, died at her home in the lower part of Pulaski county on the 7th July, 1888, Rev. John F. Eden, of Hawkinsville Baptist church, conducted the funeral ceremonies on Sunday night.

Mrs. Gertrude Denton, wife of Mr. A. M. Denton, died at the Bruce Hotel in Hawkinsville on Monday evening last after a brief and painful illness, aged about 31 years. The burial took place at five o'clock Tuesday evening in Orange Hill cemetery, Rev. A. Barnwell conducting the funeral services.

Many will regret, though they may not be surprised, to learn that Rev. Jimmie Williamson is dead. He died in peace and hope at his home near Temperance, Telfair county, on Friday, July 6, 1888, at the age of over eighty years. Uncle Jimmie, as he was generally called, had lived and preached the gospel in this part of Georgia for more than fifty years, and was pastor of the Baptist church of Hawkinsville for a period of twenty-five years, closing with the end of the late war. He had the good will and love of everybody, and now that he has passed to rest, we will remember him for his fidelity to the cause of Christianity and his faith in an everlasting exisence (sic) beyond the grave.

Vol. 22, No. 27, Thursday Morning, 19 Jul.1888:

(This volume or issue missing.) [Editor's Note: Evidently this should have been Vol, 22, No. 29 instead of No. 27.]

Vol. 22, No. 30, Thursday Morning, 19 Jul.1888:

[Editor's Note: Evidently this should have been 26 Jul. instead of 19 Jul.]

Little Charlie, the eighteen-month-old son of Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Taylor, of Cochran, died on Saturday last.

Mr. James Coleman and Miss Minnie Fitzgerald both of Houston county, were united in marriage on the 12th inst.

Little Hubert Lee, son of Rev. and Mrs. P. G. McDonald, of Vienna, died on Sunday, July 15th, aged about two years.

Mr. Daniel Skipper, of this county, died very suddenly at his home near Cochran on Friday last. His remains were interred at Bethany church on Sunday with Masonic honors.

Mr. E. S. Nobles and Miss Mattie Barrs, both of this county, were married in Twiggs county, by Rev. R. C. Sanders, on Sunday, 15th inst.

Hon. A. J. Cameron, of Telfair county, died suddenly at his home at Cobbville on Tuesday last. His death is supposed to have been casued by an attack of heart disease. He was in his store at the time and when found was lying with hands folded across his breast. He was a prominent and influentia (sic) citizen.

Died at the residence of Young Harrell, in Telfair County, Ga. of heart disease, the Rev. James Williamson, on the 6th day July, 1888. He was born in Port Glasgow, Scotland, on the 25th day of August, 1805, and came to America in the year 1827, landing at Nova Scotia. He came to Baltimore county, in the State of Maryland, where he taught his first school. He came to Effingham county, Georgia in the year 1828, taught school, and was happly married to Mrs. Mary Harvey; joined the Baptist church, was baptised and ordained a minister of the Gospel by the Rev. Wilson Conner. In the year 1829 he came to Telfair county. The writer staid with him the first night he spent in Telfair

county. Though quite a youth then, the Christian manners and warm-hearted deportment of Uncle Jimmy made an impression of love and friendship with me that as we advanced in life the tie grew stronger and stronger.
He never took any part in politics. In 1860 his friends elected him to the Secession Convention. He made a useful member, and was one of the committee that drew up the Ordinance of Secession. He was second to none as a minister of the Gospel; was eloquent, and used the most forcible and subline arguments, such as would captivate his audience. He was also a school teacher by profession and many are the old and middle-aged people of Telfair, Laurens, Twiggs, Pulaski and Clinch counties, that can give evidence of his moral and religious training in the school room. He was many years clerk of the Ebenezer Association, and for several years moderator of the Southern Association. True to the mission given him by our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, only a few hours before his death he admonished the friends standing around his bedside to do right, and warned them of the awful results of sin. He was a true follower of the blessed Savior, a benevolent Christian, and the best man I ever knew. He leaves two sons and a daughter and a number of grandchildren to mourn their loss. A. M.

Resolution Adopted by the Hawkinsville Baptist Church. The committee appointed by the church to draft some suitable resolutions upon the death of our old Pastor "Uncle Jimmy" Williamson, beg leave to offer the following: ..."Uncle Jimmy" as we all called him, was born in Scotland, came over to America when 18 years old, married early afterwards his first wife, a Georgia lady, married the second time a few years ago another lady of Georgia, spent most of his long life, 82 years, in Telfair county, Ga., twenty years of which time he was Pastor of this church. He was raised a Presbyterian, but united himself to the Baptist faith early in life, and served that church faithfully to the end. Resolved, That the above resolution be placed upon the minutes of the church, and request be made our county papers to copy the same and a copy sent to his relatives. ...Respectfully submitted, J. O. Jelks, J. S. Willis, R. W. Chambers, Committee. Unanimously adopted by the church in conference, July 21, 1888. John F. Eden, Moderator. D. G. Fleming, Clerk.

Vol. 22, No. 31, Thursday Morning, 2 Aug.1888:

From Irwin County. Minnie, Ga., July 25... Mrs. Lee, aged eighty years, died at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. M. H. Barnes, a few days ago. She had been confined to her bed four years.

Vol. 22, No. 32, Thursday Morning, 9 Aug 1888.

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Vol. 22, No. 33, Thursday Morning, 16 Aug 1888:

Dooly County Items. (From the Vindicator.) ...Mrs. Minnie Peavy, wife of Mr. Jasper L. Peavy, and daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Thos. McCormick, died Tuesday week...

On last Friday, between five and six o'clock in the afternoon, Mr. Matthew J. Cadwell and Mr. Andrew J. Lowrey, citizens of Laurens county, were riding horseback along the road together, going from the home of Mr. Cadwell, when about three miles distant, lightning struck a tree within a few feet of them instantly killing the latter and both horses, shocking Mr. Lowery so severely as to render his recovery doubtful. Their condition was not discovered till about nine o'clock that night, when a Mr. Browning passing that way came upon them, and at once notified the neighbors. The remains of Mr. Cadwell were buried on Sunday morning at the Lowery burial grounds. Everything possible has been done for Mr. Lowery, but at this writing (Tuesday) no hope is entertained for his recovery. Eastman Times, 9th Inst.

Prof. L. D. Lockhart, formerly of Hawkinsville, and Miss Lena Maye, of Dawson, were married in the latter city on Wednesday of last week.

Dr. J. F. Fielder, who moved from Hawkinsville to Vienna in January last, died from an attack of typho-malarial fever, at his home in the latter place on Friday night last. Dr. Fielder was well known in Hawkinsville, and had many friends, who extend their sympathies to his bereaved wife and little children.

Married at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Jane Dupree, in Pulaski county, on Sunday 12th inst., Mr. J. W. Feagin and Miss Fannie Dupree. The ceremony was performed by J. M. V. Williams, J. P.

In Memoriam: Fell "Asleep in Jesus" at his home near Hawkinsville, May 28, 1888, in the 49th year of his age, John H. Anderson. He was a native of Pulaski county, and made Hawkinsville and vicinity his home all his life. In his younger days he was a man of means, but in the course of time his fortunes were reverse...He professed faith in Christ last winter, and in the spring was baptised into the Hawkinsville Baptist Church... Hawkinsville, Ga.

Vol. 22, No. 34, Thursday Morning, 23 Aug.1888:

Telfair County Items. From the Enterprise. The Masonic burial rites over the body of Hon. Jack Cameron were held at the grave, near Cobbville, Monday the 20th inst.

Worth County Items. (From the Local.) ... Mr. and Mrs. Calvin McCrannie of Ty Ty, are dead. The wife died Thursday, the 9th inst., while the husband only lingered one short week and then followed the beloved wife into "the land beyond". They died of Typhoid fever.

Mr. J. W. Pate, formerly of Hawkinsville, now of Sanford, Fla., was married in the Methodist Church in that place on the 14th inst, to Miss Lula M. Prevatt. The young gentleman has many warm friends in the home of his boyhood, who waft him their heart-felt congratulation.

Mr. J. M. Vaughn and Miss Annie Smith were married in Rochelle recently.

Vol. 22, No. 35, Thursday Morning, 30 Aug.1888:

Dooly County Items. (From the Vindicator.) ...Little Ora, the lovely daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Heard, of Vienna died at Macon on the 15th inst. She was on a visit to relatives in Macon and was stricken with typhoid fever. The remains were brought down and interred at the Whitehead burial grounds in Dooly county.

Telfair County Items. (From the McRae Enterprise.) ... A young white man by the name of White while loading lumber at the saw mill of Goff & Co., two miles below Chauncey, on last Friday, accidently fell across the railroad track, sustaining such serious injuries as to cause his death on last Monday; Mr. Jason Lancaster, of this county, has raised a family of twelve children - seven sons and five daughters. The youngest is sixteen years of age. Strange to say they are all unmarried and at home. Mr. Lancaster came to this county in 1860 from Pulaski, and no worthier citizen than he can be found in any community.

Mrs. Lanie Taylor, wife of Mr. J. D. Taylor, of Wilcox county, was killed by a bolt of lightning on Sunday afternoon, 12th inst., while sitting under a shade tree in her yard.

The community was very much shocked last Thursday morning, to hear of the death of Mrs. Ida Partin, wife of Mr. Robert L. Partin, which had taken place the night before. Mrs. Partin's maiden name was Freeny, and she was about twenty-six years of age. She was very highly esteemed by a large circle of the friends of herself and her husband. A sorely bereaved husband and two little children mourn their irreparable loss.

... We regret to announce the death on last Sunday night of little Mattie Dennard aged five years, the daughter of Mr. J. H. Dennard of Wilcox county...

Mrs. Apsie E. Cone, wife of Mr. L. H. Cone, died at their home near Eureka, Dooly county, Ga., on Satuday, August 25, 1888. She was the daughter of Mr. Abel Paul, of Drayton, and was twenty-eight of age... She united with the Methodist church when only nine or ten years of age. It was a sad multitude that gathered at her funeral at Smyrna church on last Sunday afternoon... E. M. Whiting

In Memoriam. Carey, Ga., Aug. 21, 1888. Editor Dispatch: It becomes our painful duty to chronicle the death of brother Elisha J. Spears, which sad event occurred on Monday night, 12th inst., after a brief but painful illness. Brother Spears has been connected with the Baptist church of Mt. Calvary for the past several years, and his daily walk gave evident proof that he lived and died a true and earnest Christian... He leaves a wife and one child, a sister and several brothers, and a widowed mother to moun his untimely death... J. L. Whitehurst, S. A. Bryan, C. D. Findlay, Committee, Mt. Calvary F. A. No. 336, Pulaski Co. Ga.

Vol. 22, No. 36, Thursday Morning, 6 Sep.1888:

Obituary: Departed this life, in Pulaski County, Ga., Mrs. Annie Harrell, consort of Levi H. Harrell, deacon and Secretary of the Baptist church at Midway, aged 55 years and seven months. She was born in Williamsburg district, South Carolina, December 7, 1832, the daughter of W. B. Odum, who emigrated to this county in August, 1842. The deceased was married July 27, 1848, and was baptised into the Antioch Baptist church by Rev. Jessie R. Horn. She leaves behind her affectionate husband, her dear aged mother, two sisters, eleven children (one of whom is licensed to preach the gospel and bids fair to be useful) and eighteen grand-children to mourn their irreparable loss. She had been in ill health for the last seven years, and was confined to her bed for the last nine months of her life. Her disease baffled all the skill of the medical aid employed, which was some nine or ten phsicians. All was done for her that human agency could do... Elder W. R. Steeley, Pastor

Obituary: It becomes my painful duty to chronicle the sudden and quite unexpected death of Mr. James Monroe Lindsay. He came to his departure by a Mr. W. C. Lindsay (his cousin), by pistol ball entering just under the right eye, died at once, without a struggle, on his own place, Tuesday, February 28, 1888, at 7 or 8 o'clock a.m. Had he lived to June he would have been 30 years old. He joined the Baptist Church at Harmony, Dooly county, Ga., some nine years ago. His body lies in the Walace Branch burial ground, a mile from where he was slain. He has left a loving companion and two lovely children - son and daughter - a good mother and one brother and one sister, and many friends to lament their bereavement. W. R. S.

Mr. James M. A. Whitehead, a very highly esteemed citizen of Dooly county, died at his home on last Friday, August 31st, at 9 PM, aged about 77 years.

Little Pearl Cleo, the little daughter of Mr. W. F. Ferguson, died last Saturday evening, at the residence of her grandparents. She was in her seventh year, and was a lovely child - the only child of her father. Many friends sympathize with him in this severe bereavement.

Mrs. Emma Boon, wife of Mr. W. J. Boon, formerly of Hawkinsville, died at the home of her father-in-law, Mr. W. M. Boon, three miles east of Perry, Ga., on Tuesday, August 28. The deceased leaves a husband and three young children, with whom their many friends in Hawkinsville deeply sympathize.

The founder of the Town of Eastman dies in New Hampshire. The telegraph's Eastman correspondent sends this news which will be read with regret by many who knew Mr. Eastman. A telegram from Center Harbor, New Hampshire, announces the death of Hon. Wm Pitt Eastman, who was spending the summer there with his daughter, Mrs. J. Monroe Ogden and her children of your city... Appropriate cemeronies will be had by the town and its institutions. The remains will be temporarily interred where he died, but we presume in a short time he will be buried here by the side of his beloved wife and child.

We regret to learn of the death of Mr. George Tucker, of Irwin county which occurred on Friday night, August 24th. He was out hog-hunting some two weeks ago, carrying his gun on a somewhat contrary mule. In trying to mount his mule the gun was accidentally discharged, the load entering his person near the groin, and passing through came out near the spine. After lingering in great pain until the 24th, he breathed his last. Mortification set in and penetrated his whole system.

Vol. 22, No. 37, Thursday Morning, 13 Sep.1888:

Telfair County Items. (From the McRae Enterprise.) Mr. O. L. Smith and Miss Linnie Chapman were very quietly married at the home of A. H. Hendley, Esq., in this place, 1st Thursday night, Rev. H. M. Morrison officiating .

Mr. Zack Bass, Jr. and Miss Annie Byrd, both of Dooly county were united in marriage on the 23d ult.

Mrs. Boothe, wife of Mr. J. E. Boothe of this county, died on Tuesday last. The remains were interred at the family burying ground, near Cochran on Saturday.

Rella Renfroe, of Jeffersonville, Twiggs county, Ga., and Mr. _____ Collins, of Cochran were ___ in marriage at the home of the bride, in the former place, on Tuesday night.

Mrs. Mary Williamson, aged wife of Rev. James Williamson, died at her home in Dodge county on August 1st.

Vol. 22, No. 38, Thursday Morning, 20 Sep.1888:

Mr. Jonas Rackley, a highly respected citizen of Dooly county, died on Monday, 9th inst., aged nearly eighty-two years.

Mr. John Hobbs, a highly esteemed citizen of the county, died at his home in the Blue Spring district at two o'clock on Monday morning last. Mr. Hobbs was over seventy years of age. He was a successful farmer and a Christian gentleman. In his death the county loses one of it best citizens.

Miss Laura Daniel, aged about seventeen years, the daughter of Mr. John J. Daniel, of this county, died at her father's home a few miles south of Hawkinsville on Monday last. She had been confined to her bed for over a month with typhoid fever. The remains were interred at Orange Hill cemetery, in this place, on Tuesday afternoon...

Mrs. Nancy Stephens, mother of S. C. Stephens, died at her home near Midway church, in this county, on Sunday last aged about 80 years. The remains were interred at the Harrell burial ground. Mrs. Stephens moved to this county from South Carolina about six years ago. She was an estimable lady, and had many friends.

Vol. 22, No. 39, Thursday Morning, 27 Sep.1888:

From Irwin. Crisp, Ga., Sept. 20, 1888. ...We were shocked to learn of the sudden death of Mr. John Handley at his home in Wilcox county, about five miles above here, on the 14th inst. Protempore

Mr. Avery Napier and Miss Mary Lou Churchwell, daughter of Mr. O. P. Churchwell, of this county, were married at the home of the bride on Sunday, 16th inst. J. M. V. Williams, J. P., officiating.

Mr. W. W. Watson, aged sixty-seven years, died in this place on Sunday night last, and was buried at Orange Hill cemetery on Monday. The deceased was the father of Mr. Ben Watson and the Misses Watson of this place.

... At the residence of Rev. W. R. Steeley, in Cochran, last Wednesday evening, 19th inst. Miss Jennie Peacock was united in marriage to Mr. John E. Harris of Macon, Ga., Rev. Mr. Steeley officiating. The contracting parties are well known here, Mr. Harris being the clever traveling salesman of Messrs. Nussbaum, Van Syekel & Tindall, of Macon, and the bride the accomplished daughter of Mr. Peter Peacock of Cochran.

Vol. 22, No. 40, Thursday Morning, 4 Oct.1888:

Letter from Sycamore. Editor Dispatch: ... The community was saddened on Friday last to receive the instructions from Tifton to prepare a grave for little Mary Jane, the oldest child of Mr. J. I. Clements, of that place, who is a son-in-law of Mr. J. J. Henderson. The circumstances concerning her death are peculiarly sad. She was attending school, and at noon on Thursday she, with other pupils, were clearing away and burning the rubbish around the school-house, when, on going too close to the fire her clothing was ignited by the flames. She ran to the teacher, Mr. Jason Shirah, telling him that she was burning up. All that he and others could do to subdue the flames prove to no avail, and on Friday morning her little spark of life burned out, and her angelic spirit returned to her Lord who gave it. She was twelve years old, and is spoken of as being exceptionally intelligent and studious. She was buried here on yesterday afternoon... Jno. C. Dunaway, Sycamore, Ga., Sept. 23, 1888.

From the Macon Telegraph, Oct. 1st: Yesterday morning a messenger came into Macon from Jeffersonville, in Twiggs county, for a casket for Mr. W. T. Reynolds, a well know farmer of Twiggs, who was shot and killed on Saturday night by Sheriff Frank Pettis. The particulars as far as could be learned are as follows: The two men had a dispute about two weeks ago growing out of the primary election of Messrs. Shannon and Glover, candidates for the State Senatorship. Mr. Reynolds, it seems, charged the sheriff with saying something about him which the sheriff denied saying. They met three of four times within the two weeks, and each time the dispute arose. On Saturday night about halfpast six o'clock, Pettis was on the porch of Walker's store in Jeffersonville when Reynolds came up and said, "Frank, I can now prove that you said it." Pettis replied, "Bill, we've had enough of this." Reynolds said,

"Well, I can prove that you said it." Pettis was then heard to say. "Well, go ahead and prove it." Reynolds walked into the store as the bystanders thought to furnish proof, but reappeared with a knife in his hand and approached Pettis, who drew his pistol and told him to halt. Reynolds continued to advance, and when near him with the hand holding the knife uplifted, Pettis fired three shots and Reynolds fell. He was picked up and it was found that three balls had entered his left breast and all of them in the region of the heart. The messenger came in yesterday morning to Undertaker Keating and secured a handsome casket, which was carried out. Up to the time of the messenger's leaving, no steps had been taken to arrest the sheriff. The deceased was a son of Mr. Hub Reynolds, who has more than once represented Twiggs in the legislature, and is a man of much influence in the county. Mr. Reynolds was a farmer and lost his wife sometime ago. Sheriff Pettis is well known as a quite (sic) but determined man considerably smaller of stature than Mr. Reynolds.

Mr. Raiford Williams and Miss Susie Trammell were married at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Catharine Trammell, in this county, on Thursday last, Rev. Jordon Hobbs officiating.

Telfair County Items. From the Enterprise, Sept. 27th: ... We regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Henry E. Daniels, which sad event occurred at Lumber City last Tuesday evening, the 18th instant, after a protracted illness of several days. To those bereft we extend sympathy...

Vol. 22, No. 41, Thursday Morning, 11 Oct.1888:

Mr. John D. Hambrick, of Dooly county, and Miss Martha J. Whiddon, daughter of Mr. J. W. Whiddon, Jr., of Irwin county, were married at the home of the bride's parents, near Sycamore, Ga., on the 27th of Sept. Elder Zara Paulk officiating.

Mrs. Katie Walden, age about 80 years, died at the residence of Judge A. C. Pate, on Pine Level last Sunday morning. Mrs. Walden was an estimable lady, and had many friends in this place and community. Rev. John F. Eden conducted the funeral services at Orange Hill cemetery on Sunday evening.

Col. Edwin Martin, editor-in-chief of the Jacksonville (sic) of the Jacksonville Daily Times-Union, died in Jacksonville, Fla., on Sunday last after a brief illness of yellow fever. Col. Martin was at one time editor and proprietor of the Houston Home Journal, represented Houston county in the Georgia Legislature, and was married at Perry. He was later connected with the Savannah Morning News, and was a courageous and capable writer. He was universally liked, and was well known to many of our citizens, having visited Hawkinsville often while engaged in the newspaper business at Perry. His many friends here regretted exceedingly to hear of his death. He leaves a wife and three children, who are now at the home of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Elizabeth Mann, in Perry.

Vol. 22, No. 42, Thursday Morning, 18 Oct.1888:

Judge John H. Hose, of Houston county, died at his home four miles west of Perry on Thursday, 4th inst., aged about sixty-three years.

Mr. C. C. Lashley and Miss Belle Ward, the accomplished daughter of Mr. & Mrs. T. A. Ward of Cochran, were married at the home of the bride's parents in that place on Sunday evening last at 8 o'clock. Judge L. C. Ryan, of Hawkinsville. performed the ceremony. The groom is a popular young man connected with the E. T. V. & G. Ry., and the bride is one of Cochran's most charming young ladies.

Mrs. Quattlebaum, of Hawkinsville, died on Thursday last after a brief but painful illness. She started to Dooly county on Wednesday morning, in company of her son, Mr. Joe Quattlebaum, and was apparently in good health. When near the place of Mr. Willie Anderson, seven miles from Hawkinsville, she was attacked with a congestive chill, grew worse so rapidly she was unable to proceed further, and stopped at Mr. Anderson's. A messenger was sent back to town for a physician, and everything possible done to relieve her, but without avail, and death ended her suffering on Thursday. Mrs. Quattlebaum was a widow lady, and moved to Hawkinsville about two years ago from Dooly county. She has many friends here and at her old home. Her remains were taken to Dooly county for burial.

Death has again visited the home of Mr. J. J. Daniel, and claimed as its victim Laura, ... Her Friend and School-mate, Mrs. H. R. Smith, Oconee, Ga.

Vol. 22, No. 43, Thursday Morning, 25 Oct.1888:

Items from Telfair. From the Enterprise: ... We regret to learn of the Death of Mrs. John J. McArthur, which sad event occurred near Long Pond, Montgomery county, on October 8th, after a prolonged and painful illness. Mrs. McArthur was an estimable lady, beloved by all who knew her... We are pained to learn of the death of Mr. G. C. Clements, which occurred at his residence in Montgomery county on Monday last at 9 o'clock a.m. Mr. Clements was one of the oldest and most worthy citizens of the county. He had suffered for many years with cancer on the face. He was buried at the old family burying ground on last Tuesday. Truly a good man has gone. Mrs. Ham, of Cochran, died at her home in that place on Saturday last. She was a daughter of Mr. J. C. Newman, and leaves one child an infant.

Mr. A. C. Jones and Miss Cynthia Tripp were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, at Trippville, in this county, on Wednesday, 17th inst.

Mr. W. B. F. Daniels, of Laurens county, and Miss M. J. Currell, were married at the home of the bride's parents, in Cochran, on Thursday, 18th inst., Rev. W. A. Ramsey officiating.

Mr. James D. Reynolds and Miss Carrie Hogsett, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, in Dooly county, on Thursday, 18th inst. The bride is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hogsett, of Dooly, and the

groom is a clever and successful farmer of this county.

We regret to record the death on Tuesday of last week, of Mr. Charles Harrell, Jr., at the home of his father, in the western portion of this county. He was a young man of many noble traits, beloved by all who knew him, and his death has cast a gloom of sadness over the community. The grief-stricken father, relatives and friends have our sincere condolence in the bereavement. Eastman Times, 18th inst.

Married, at 12 o'clock M. October 11, 1888, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Jacob Paulk to Miss Susie Branch, all of Irwin county, the Rev. Jno. Sumner officiating... A Friend

Vol. 22, No. 44, Thursday Morning, 1 Nov.1888:

Our Irwin Letter... Married, Crisp, Ga. Oct. 25, 1888, Editor Dispatch... Married, on Wednesday evening, 24th inst., at the residence of the bride's parents, Rev. John Flanders to Miss Anna Roberts. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. T. Bickley. Miss Anna is a beautiful and accomplished young lady, and is very popular. The groom is a promising young minister of the South Georgia Conference. Your correspondent extends congradulations... Pro Tempore

In the telegraph of yesterday appeared the copy of a telegram from Dublin to Chief Wiley asking for the arrest of Stephen F. New, and saying that he was wanted for murder. The particulars were received here yesterday of the tragedy, which occurred about 4 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, eight miles from Dublin, on the east side of the Oconee river. The victim was Mr. W. G. Weaver, and it seems that he and Mr. William Boles were riding along the road that passed New's home. While riding along they had agreed to swap horses, and just in front of the house they stopped to make the exchange. When this was done, and when Weaver had gotten in his buggy to go on his journey New came out of his house with pistol in hand, and when within ten or fifteen feet began shooting Weaver, firing three times, two balls taking effect. After being shot Weaver exclaimed, "Steve, you have killed me." and was then taken from the buggy by Boles and carried to the residence of Mr. J. D. Smith, a mile distant. Weaver requested that his mother and a physician be sent for, but he died within two hours from the time he was shot. One of the balls entered the right side and passed through the body. It is said that there is no cause assigned for the crime. It accounted for by some from the fact that some time ago Weaver had sued New. It is also said that New remained at his house until Wednesday morning, when he was seen to leave with a gun under his arm and a pistol in his hand. A posse of thirty or forty men, led by the Sheriff, went in pursuit of him, with the determination to scour the woods and swamps in the locality. Griff Weaver was a quite (sic), sober and peaceful man, and if he ever had a difficulty of any kind before this, it was not known. New did not bear a good reputation, and it is said was drunk at the time of the killing. The people in the neighborhood are very much outraged over the affair, and are determined to capture New. Macon Telegraph, 26th inst.

The announcement of the death of Mr. Byrom Bell, at the home of his mother in this place on Saturday last, while not unexpected, was deeply regretted by our people. He was stricken a few months ago with dread disease, consumption, and everything known to medical science was done for his relief, but without avail. Mr. Bell was formerly a prominent merchant here, and few young men in Hawkinsville had more friends than he. The editor of the Dispatch extends his sympathy to the sorrowing family.

In Memorian: ...that little Ramsy, son of Thos. W. and Drusill Robuck, has been transplanted to a heavenly land, where he "can lave in drink from that stream which flows first by the throne of God." A Friend

Vol. 22, No. 45, Thursday Morning, 8 Nov.1888:

Mr. William Phillips, an aged citizen of Dodge county, died suddenly on the 24th ult.

Mr. L. F. Collier, of this county, and Miss Henrietta Collier, of Crawford county, were united in marriage on Sunday last 4 inst.

The infant son of Mr. & Mrs. Chas. Fitzgerald of Hawkinsville, died on Sunday last.

Mrs. Ann Clewis, of Snow, Dooly county, widow of the later Richard Clewis, died on Oct. 25th, after a short illness. The remains were intered at Snow.

Mrs. Mary Smithhart, wife of Mr. David E. Smithhart, aged about 58 years, died at her home in Jackson county, Florida, on Sunday last, 4 inst. Mr. & Mrs. Smithhart moved from Wilcox county, this state to Florida several years ago.

Mrs. Ardilla Smith lives near Snow Spring, Dooly county, in this state. She is the widow of Mathew Smith, who was a soldier in the service of the United States government in the War of 1812. He was a private in Capt. Hamilton's company of Georgia militia. Under an act of Congress passed March 9th, 1878, granting pensions to the survivors of the War of 1812 to their widows, Mrs. Smith is entitled to $1,124 up to September 24th of this year. She is indebted to her nephew Prof. Lee Henderson of Hawkinsville, for working up her claim. The pension department at Washington has acknowledge Mrs. Smith's claim, the necessary papers have been prepared and sent forward, and a check for the amount will be here in a few days. By a late act of Congress the pension to soldiers of the War of 1812 was increased from $8 to $12 per month, which amount she will entitled to the remainder of her life. Prof. Henderson has been quite successful in working up pension claims. Sometimesince he secured a pension for his grandmother Henderson, who lives in this county, and a check for over $1,000 was sent her last spring. The old lady is now drawing $12 per month from the government.

Obituary, House Creek, Ga., October 1888: It is with sadness that we write of the death of John A. Handley, Sr., of Wilcox county, which occurred on the 14th day of September. He died suddenly of neuralgia of the heart. His wife did

not hear him complain of anything much before he fell from his chair dead. He was about sixty-five years old; born 1832, and married Lucretia Mixon, daughter of E. B. Mixon, in 1842, and raised a family of ten children. He was a kind husband, an effectionate father and a good neighbor, always ready to help the poor. He had been a member of the Missionary Church about thirty-five years, and filled the office of deacon with promptness and care. In his early days, while slavery existed, he followed overseeing, and even the old slaves mourn his death. He was a volunteer and member of company E, 49th Georgia regiment, and was always at his post for duty until he was captured and taken prisoner at the Battle of the Wilderness. He was then held prisoner and kept at Fort Delaware until the war ended. He reached home in July, 1865. He then began farming, which he made a success, and accumulated some little property. He was elected one of the county commissioners of Wilcox in 1878, and served eight years in succession, and his worth to the county while a commissioner will never be over-estimated by the citizens. He was a good financier, and was not ashamed nor afraid to speak in the interest of the County. Long may he be remembered and his good examples followed. Friend

Vol. 22, No. 46, Thursday Morning, 15 Nov.1888:

Mr. Jerry Broxton, an old and clever citizen of Dooly county, and father of Mr. Andrew Broxton, died at his home in the Third District of Dooly on Friday last.

Mr. P. B. Hayes, of Appling county, and Miss Maggie McRae, daughter of Judge John F. McRae, of McRae, Ga., were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents on Thursday evening last, 8th inst., Rev. H. M. Morrison officiating.

In Memoriam: There died at her home in Hawkinsville on August 23, 1888, Ida M. Partin, wife of R. L. Partin, in the 25th year of her age, leaving two small children to join a bereaved husband and loving mother, sister and brother to mourn her loss, and a host of friends to miss her with unfeigned grief. What can be added to the above short statement of facts, which appeal with such pathetic sadness to our sympathies? This Ida was ever a bright child, although frail of form, and a tender, loving heart and a winsome grace added increased charms to her features and presence. She was Christened in St. Barnabus church in Macon July 14, 1872, and was confirmed by Bishop Beckwith March 23, 2879; married August 9th 1879...

Vol. 22, No. 47, Thursday Morning, 22 Nov.1888:

Mr. Felix Reynolds, of Dooly county, died at his home near Byronville on the 8th inst.

Mrs. Margaret Brown, an estimable lady, died at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. Jason Lancaster, near McRae, Telfair county, on Sunday night last, aged seventy-nine years.

Mrs. Maud L. Busbee and Mr. G. R. Matthews both of Vienna, were united in marriage on Thursday, 8th inst., Rev. M. F. Morgan performing the ceremony.

Vol 22, No. 48, Thursday Morning, 29 Nov.1888:

Little Maggie, the one-year-old infant of Mr. & Mrs. George Currell, Jr. of Cochran, died at the home of her parents, in that place, on Sunday 18th inst.

Mrs. Celestia Rivers, wife of Mr. L. J. Rivers, died suddenly at her home on Pine Level on Friday morning last. Mrs. Rivers had been in a low state of health for some weeks, but her death was unexpected, and was a great shock to her many friends. The remains were interred in Orange Hill cemetery, in Hawkinsville, on Saturday morning, Rev. John F. Eden officiating at the grave. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved family.

Obituary: It is with sad heart that we record the death of our venerable and beloved sister Mrs. Amanda M. Quattlebaum, who passed triumphantly into eternity October 11th, 1888. She was born in Edgefield District, S. C., December 19th, 1844. During the year 1853 she, with her family, moved to Dooly county, Ga., where she resided thirty-three years. Nearly two years before her death she moved to Hawkinsville, Ga., that she might be near her only unmarried daughter. She was the mother of eight children, two of whom died in infancy - six live to mourn the loss of a loving and indulgent mother. Sister Quattlebaum joined Harmony Baptist church August 1876, and was baptized by Rev. Needham W. Collier. She was granted the happy privilege of welcoming all of her children as members of the same household of faith...

Vol. 22, No. 48, Thursday Morning, 6 Dec.1888:

(Editor's Note: This issue should have been No. 49.)

Mr. J. D. Marshall and Miss Carrie Jeter were married at the residence of the bride's mother, near Spoonville, Houston county, on Wednesday afternoon, 28th ult.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cook, of Atlanta, died last Thursday morning at her home in that place. She was the mother of Mr. Tom N. Sutton and Miss Mattie Sutton, of this county, who went up to attend her during her last illness.

Mr. H. V. Clark, of Hawkinsville and Miss Emma Quattlebaum, formerly of this place, were united in marriage at the home of Mr. Andrew Broxton, in Dooly county, yesterday (Tuesday) evening. We extend our congratulations.

Mr. A. A. Lowe, of this place, has received a copy of the Daily Observer, printed at Corsicana, Texas, containing an account of the death of Major Mark J. McMullan, which occurred at Chatfield, Nevarro county, Texas, November 4th 1888, in the seventy-fourth year of his age. Major McMullan went out to the war as Captain of the Wise Guards, from Macon county, Georgia, of which Mr. A. A. Lowe, of Hawkinsville, was a member. The entire company was captured at the surrender of Fort Pulaski, near Savannah, in the early part of the war. The company was afterward exchanged at Akins' Landing, on the James River, for a number of Pennsylvania Bucktails. The Wise Guards returned home and reorganized and enlisted in the Twenty-second Georgia Battalion Artillery.

Capt. McMullan became Major of the Battalion, and served throughout the war. He was a brave soldier, and his Georgia comrades drop a tear to his memory.

Several friends from Hawkinsville attended the marriage of Mr. J. C. Henderson and Miss Annie Bohannon at Midway church, in this county on Wednesday last, Movember 28th, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Mr. Flanders. the groom is a popular young farmer, and a brother of Mr. Lucius Henderson, of this place. The bride is the charming daughter of Mr. James Bohannon, a leading planter of this county. An elegant supper was served at the home of the bride's parents after the marriage, which was highly enjoyed by the guests.

Mr. Lorenzo Dow Norwood died at his home near Perry, Houston county, Ga., on the 24th day of November 1888. Mr. Norwood was born in Darlington district, South Carolina in 1806, and would have been eighty-two years of age next Tuesday. He moved from South Carolina to Georgia fifty-five years ago, and settled in Houston county. For fifty years he lived on the place where he died, and for forty-five years lived in the same house. He and his wife, who is still living, became members of the Methodist church sixty years ago. Mr. Norwood lived up to the faith and was highly esteemed by all who knew him. He was never sued in his life.

Editor Dispatch: ... Mrs. Lucretia Ellis, near Vienna died last week from cancer, aged seventy years... Jno .C. Dunaway, Drayton, Nov. 28th

Vol. 22, No. 50, Thursday Morning, 13 Dec.1888:

Mr. Lewis H. Holt and Miss Lelia Etheridge, daughter of Mr. Thomas F. Etheridge, were married at the residence of the bride's parents in the third district of Dooly county, on the 25th ult., by Rev. J. R. Fields.

Mr. Samuel Lang, of Bartow, Fla., formerly a prominent merchant of Hawkinsville, was married to Miss Carrie Riesser, of Savannah, on the 5th inst. Sam's friends in Hawkinsville wish he and his bride long and happy lives.

Mr. Thomas Dunham, of Savannah, and Miss Laura Walker, of Cochran, were united in marriage at Cuthbert, Ga., on Wednesday last, 5th inst. The bride is a sister of Dr. T. D. and Mr. D. C. Walker, of Cochran, and the groom is a brother of the Messrs. Dunham, of the same place.

Two of the children of Mr. James Barrs, who lives near Goldsboro, in this county, have recently died from typhoid fever, and a third, who is suffering with the same disease, lies at the point of death. Mr. Barrs and his family have been sorely afflicted, and we deeply sympathize with them.

Obituary: The angel of death has visited the family of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Dowdy, and taken from them their darling little Mark, who departed this live November 10th, 1888, aged 4 months and 25 days... Ada L. Owens, Dooly, Co., Ga., Dec. 3, 1888

Vol 22, No. 51, Thursday Morning, 20 Dec.1888:

Items of Interest from Dooly. Vindicator: Married on Sunday, Dec. 9th inst., at the residence of the groom's brother Mr. Aleck McSwain Rev. J. R. Fields officiating Miss Fannie Mays and Mr. A. N. McSwain were blended into double blessedness.

Mrs. Charity Waters, aged 68 years, died at her home in Cordele, Dooly county, Ga., on Tuesday, Dec. 4th, after a long illness of typhoid pneumonia. The remains were interred at Bethel church, near Cordele, on Wednesday.

Married at the residence of the bride's brother-in-law, Mr. J. D. Bostwick in Cochran, on Thursday last, 13th inst., Hon. Levi H. Harrell and Mrs. Burns. Mr. Harrell's many friends congradulate himm and wish he and his bride happiness.

At the residence of the bride's parents, Sunday afternoon last, 18th inst., Mr. John W. Oberry was united in marriage to Miss Anna E. Glover. The ceremony was beautifully and impressively performed by Rev. Jno. F. Eden, in the presence of the family and a few friends. The bride is the popular daughter of Prof. Geo. R. Glover, principal of the Hawkinsville Academy, and whose personal charms and lovely traits of character have made for herself a host of friends and admirers. Mr. Oberry, the groom, is a member of the young and enterprising firm of Oberry & Rutter; a Virginian by birth, locting in our midst, he has in a short time, by his gentlemanly and hightoned deportment, made himself exceedingly popular, and his scores of friends join the Dispatch in congradulating him upon his success in winning such a lovely companion. The bridal presents sent in by relatives and friends were numerous, and many of them very handsome ones. Mr. Oberry and his bride leave tomorrow (Thursday) for Suffolk, Va., the former home of the groom, where they will spend Christmas holidays.

Mr. M. M. Willcox, who moved from Telfair county, Ga., to Texas in 1870, was killed at Bryan, in that state, on the 3d day of this month. Mr. Willcox was marshall of the town of Bryan, and was attempting to make the arrest of a young man by the name of Earl Knox, who was charged with the crime of burglary. Knox refused to consider himself under arrest, and fired at marshall Willcox, the latter dying in one hour from the time he was wounded. Knox escaped at the time of the killing, but was captured next day. The local paper, speaking of the killings, says Mr. Willcox was a faithful and fearless officer, and he met his fate like the true hero who "never dies but once". His last words were that he did not fear death, and only regretted it on account of his "wife and poor little children". He was buried Monday at 4 o'clock p.m., at the Seale burying ground, eight miles north of town. He was a Knight of Honor and a member off the A. O. U. W.'s. Earl Knox is a boy of eighteen years, small to his age, and not weighing over 110 pounds. He was born and raised here, and is the only child of a widowed mother, his father having died when Earl was an infant. Both families the Loughridges and the Knoxs - are good and highly respectable people, and have the sympathies of the public in their troubles.

Vol. 22, No. 52, Thursday Morning, 27 Dec.1888:

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